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TI Dripping nozzle device, device for recovering dripping undiluted solution, device for supplying dripping undiluted solution, device for solidifying surface of droplet, device for circulating aqueous ammonia solution, and apparatus for producing ammonium diuranate particles

IN Okubo, Kazutoshi

PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan

SO Jpn. Tokkyo Koho, 9pp.

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LA Japanese

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CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

ST nozzle drop ammonium diuranate
solidification nuclear fuel

IT Nozzles
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium diuranate particles)

IT Nuclear fuels
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium diuranate particles for)

IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, reactions
RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium diuranate particles)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate
RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium diuranate particles)

IT 97-99-4, Tetrahydrofurfuryl alcohol 1344-59-8, Uranium oxide (U3O8)
9002-89-5, Polyvinyl alcohol 15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate
RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
(starting material; dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium diuranate particles)

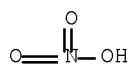
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 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium
 diuranate particles)
 RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate
 RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)
 (dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium
 diuranate particles)
 RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH₄)₂U₂O₇) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
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H4N	2	14798-03-9
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IT 15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate
 RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
 (starting material; dripping nozzle device for producing
 ammonium diuranate particles)
 RN 15905-86-9 HCAPLUS
 CN Nitric acid, uranium salt (8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)



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L72 ANSWER 2 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2007:529316 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 146:489377

TI Apparatus for manufacture of ammonium diuranate
 particles

IN Honda, Masaki

PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 11pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

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PI	JP 2007119298	A	20070517	JP 2005-313694	20051028
PRAI	JP 2005-313694		20051028		

AB The apparatus has (1) a solution dropping unit equipped with a nozzle for dropping a solution containing uranyl nitrate, (2) an ammonia water tank for storing aqueous NH_4OH and receiving the droplets from the nozzle, and (3) an NH_3 gas feeder having multiple nozzles set along the droplet falling passage for supplying NH_3 gas to the passage. The apparatus gives spherical particles as precursors for UO_2 nuclear fuels.

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)
Section cross-reference(s): 47, 49

ST spherical ammonium diuranate particle ammonia
nozzle uranyl nitrate droplet

IT Nuclear fuels
(ammonium diuranate particles for precursor of;
apparatus for manufacture of spherical ammonium diuranate
particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple nozzles to uranyl
nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous NH_4OH tank)

IT Drops
Nozzles
(apparatus for manufacture of spherical ammonium diuranate
particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple nozzles to uranyl
nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous NH_4OH tank)

IT Particles
(spherical; apparatus for manufacture of spherical ammonium
diuranate particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple
nozzles to uranyl nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous
 NH_4OH tank)

IT 7783-22-4F, Ammonium diuranate
RL: IMF (Industrial manufacture); PREP (Preparation)
(apparatus for manufacture of spherical ammonium diuranate
particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple nozzles to uranyl
nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous NH_4OH tank)

IT 1336-21-6, Ammonia water 7664-41-7, Ammonia,
reactions 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate
RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(apparatus for manufacture of spherical ammonium diuranate
particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple nozzles to uranyl
nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous NH_4OH tank)

IT 7783-22-4F, Ammonium diuranate
RL: IMF (Industrial manufacture); PREP (Preparation)
(apparatus for manufacture of spherical ammonium diuranate
particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple nozzles to uranyl
nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous NH_4OH tank)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

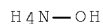
CN Ammonium uranium oxide $((\text{NH}_4)_2\text{U}_2\text{O}_7)$ (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
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O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
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IT 1336-21-6, Ammonia water 7664-41-7, Ammonia,
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RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
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particles by feeding NH_3 gas from multiple nozzles to uranyl
nitrate solution droplets during falling to aqueous NH_4OH tank)

RN 1336-21-6 HCAPLUS

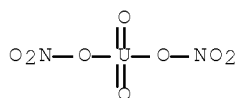
CN Ammonium hydroxide $((\text{NH}_4)(\text{OH}))$ (CA INDEX NAME)



RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS
CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)



RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS
CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 3 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2007:455440 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 146:450053

TI Method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium
biuranate particles

IN Honda, Masaki

PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 13pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	JP 2007106649	A	20070426	JP 2005-301049	20051014
PRAI	JP 2005-301049		20051014		

AB The title manufacture process comprises dropping a solution containing uranyl nitrate and a thickener into an aqueous NH₄OH solution, where the droplet diameter is noncontact measured by a sensor to control the manufacture conditions based on the diameter. Alternatively, the manufacture process comprises noncontact measuring diameter of the ammonium biuranate particles by a sensor to control the manufacture conditions based on the diameter. The title apparatus is equipped with a means for dropping the solution from a nozzle, an aqueous NH₄OH solution tank below the nozzle, and the sensor. The ammonium biuranate particles are manufactured with high production efficiency.

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

Section cross-reference(s): 49

ST ammonium uranate particle manuf app droplet diam
sensor

IT Particle size

Thickening agents

(method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium biuranate
particles by sensing droplet or particle diameter)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

RL: IMF (Industrial manufacture); PREP (Preparation)
(method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium biuranate
particles by sensing droplet or particle diameter)

IT 1336-21-6, Ammonium hydroxide 10102-06-4, Uranyl
nitrate

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(reaction of; method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium
biuranate particles by sensing droplet or particle diameter)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

RL: IMF (Industrial manufacture); PREP (Preparation)
(method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium biuranate
particles by sensing droplet or particle diameter)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH4)2U2O7) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
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O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

IT 1336-21-6, Ammonium hydroxide 10102-06-4, Uranyl
nitrate

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(reaction of; method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium
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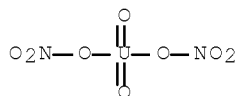
RN 1336-21-6 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium hydroxide ((NH4)(OH)) (CA INDEX NAME)

H4N—OH

RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS

CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 4 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2007:355288 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 146:450049

TI External gelation method for preparing UO2 microspheres as cores of
nuclear fuel elements

IN Liang, Tongxiang; Guo, Wenli; Zhao, Xingyu; Hao, Shaochang

PA Tsinghua University, Peop. Rep. China

SO Faming Zhuanli Shenqing Gongkai Shuomingshu, 5pp.
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DT Patent

LA Chinese

FAN.CNT 1

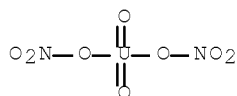
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PRAI	CN 2006-10113782		20061016		
AB	The title method comprises the steps of: (1) adding urea and ammonium nitrate into uranyl nitrate solution, hydrolyzing, adding mixed solution of polymer and tetrahydrofurfuryl alc. to obtain sol, and standing for 0.5-4 h to remove bubbles, (2) spraying the sol by an electromagnetic vibration nozzle, (3) sending the drops into an ammonia zone for presolidification, and then sending into an ammonia solution zone for solidification, (4) placing the gel spheres in concentrated ammonia solution, heating to 60-90°, and aging, (5) washing the gel microspheres with diluted ammonia solution and deionized water, (6) drying for 4-6 h, (7) placing the dried gel microspheres in an air furnace, and (8) carrying out reduction reaction and sintering in hydrogen atmospheric, and cooling. The method has the advantages of simple process, high uranium content and high stability of the sol, simple equipment, high mech. strength and thermal-treatment performance of the gel spheres, safe operation, and high product qualification rate.				
CC	71-5 (Nuclear Technology)				
IT	7664-41-7, Ammonia, uses				
	RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses) (for external gelation method for preparing UO2 microspheres as cores of nuclear fuel elements)				
IT	10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate				
	RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent) (starting material; external gelation method for preparing UO2 microspheres as cores of nuclear fuel elements)				
IT	7664-41-7, Ammonia, uses				
	RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses) (for external gelation method for preparing UO2 microspheres as cores of nuclear fuel elements)				
RN	7664-41-7 HCAPLUS				
CN	Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)				

NH₃

IT 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate
 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (starting material; external gelation method for preparing UO2 microspheres as cores of nuclear fuel elements)

RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS

CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 5 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2006:886135 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 145:274299

TI apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles

IN Takahashi, Masafumi
 PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan
 SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 7pp.
 CODEN: JKXXAF
 DT Patent
 LA Japanese
 FAN.CNT 1

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PI	JP 2006225242	A	20060831	JP 2005-44788	20050221
PRAI	JP 2005-44788		20050221		

AB The apparatus comprises a nozzle to drop UO₂(NO₃)₂ solution into NH₃ solution, a tank storing NH₃ solution, and a overflow device around the NH₃ solution surfaces. The apparatus produces (NH₄)₂UO₇ particles having high sphericity.

CC 49-5 (Industrial Inorganic Chemicals)
 Section cross-reference(s): 47, 71

ST ammonium diuranate particle sphericity

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

RL: PUR (Purification or recovery); PREP (Preparation)
 (apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles)

IT 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

RL: PUR (Purification or recovery); PREP (Preparation)
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RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH₄)₂UO₇) (CA INDEX NAME)

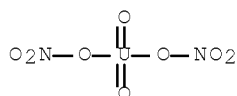
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IT 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles)

RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS

CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 6 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2006:886085 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 145:274295

TI apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles

IN Okubo, Kazutoshi

PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 8pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent
LA Japanese
FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 2006225233	A	20060831	JP 2005-44586	20050221
PRAI	JP 2005-44586		20050221		

AB The apparatus comprises a nozzle to drop high-concentration $\text{UO}_2(\text{NO}_3)_2$ solution into NH_3 solution, a reactor storing NH_3 solution and having a inclined part to discharge particles, and a device to generate waves toward the inclined part. The apparatus produces $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{U}_2\text{O}_7$ particles having high sphericity.

CC 49-5 (Industrial Inorganic Chemicals)

Section cross-reference(s): 47, 71

ST ammonium diuranate particle sphericity

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

RL: PUR (Purification or recovery); TEM (Technical or engineered material use); PREP (Preparation); USES (Uses)

(apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles)

IT 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)

(apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

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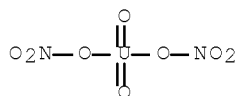
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(apparatus to produce ammonium diuranate particles)

RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS

CN Uranium, bis(nitrato- κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 7 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2005:371172 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 142:437639

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IN Okubo, Kazutoshi; Takahashi, Masashi; Takayama,

Tomoo; Nishimura, Kazuhisa; Honda, Masaki
 PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan
 SO PCT Int. Appl., 79 pp.
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 DT Patent
 LA Japanese
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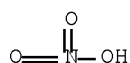
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diuranate particles for)
IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, reactions
RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium
diuranate particles)
IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate
RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium
diuranate particles)
IT 97-99-4, Tetrahydrofurfuryl alcohol 1344-59-8, Uranium oxide (U3O8)
9002-89-5, Polyvinyl alcohol 15905-86-9, Uranium
nitrate
RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
(starting material; dripping nozzle device for producing
ammonium diuranate particles)
IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, reactions
RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium
diuranate particles)
RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS
CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate
RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)
(dripping nozzle device for producing ammonium
diuranate particles)
RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS
CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH₄)₂U₂O₇) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component Registry Number
O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

IT 15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate
RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
(starting material; dripping nozzle device for producing
ammonium diuranate particles)
RN 15905-86-9 HCAPLUS
CN Nitric acid, uranium salt (8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)



●x U(x)

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Referenced Author (RAU)	Year (RPY)	VOL (RVL)	PG (RPG)	Referenced Work (RWK)	Referenced File
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Mitsubishi Materials Co	1996			JP 08-231227 A	HCAPLUS
Nuclear Fuel Industrial	1993			JP 05-256973 A	HCAPLUS
Nuclear Fuel Industrial	1993			JP 05-279043 A	HCAPLUS
Transucrania	2000			WO 99040802 A	
Transucrania	2000			EP 998854 A1	HCAPLUS

L72 ANSWER 8 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 2005:362024 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 142:437637

TI Device for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles
with high quality for nuclear fuel

IN Nishimura, Kazuhisa

PA Nuclear Fuel Industries, Ltd., Japan

SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 10 pp.

CODEN: JKXXAF

DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 2005112664	A	20050428	JP 2003-348727	20031007
	JP 4318998	B2	20090826		
PRAI	JP 2003-348727		20031007		

AB A preparation device for ammonium diuranate particles is comprised of an ammonia solution tank, a dripping nozzle above the tank to supply uranium nitrate drips to the tank to react to the ammonia to form ammonium diuranate, and a pipe to supply ammonia gas to the tank to make the ammonium diuranate particles flow.

IC ICM C01G0043-00

ICS G21C0003-62; G21C0021-02

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

ST ammonium diuranate particle nuclear fuel ammonia

IT Nuclear fuels

(device for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles
with high quality for nuclear fuel)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate

RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)

(device for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles
with high quality for nuclear fuel)

IT 15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)

(for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles with
high quality for nuclear fuel)

IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, uses

RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)

(gas; device for preparation of ammonium diuranate
particles with high quality for nuclear fuel)

IT 97-99-4, Tetrahydrofurfuryl alcohol 1344-59-8, Uranium oxide (U3O8)
 9002-89-5, Polyvinyl alcohol
 RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
 (starting material; device for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles with high quality for nuclear fuel)

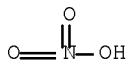
IT 7783-22-4F, Ammonium diuranate
 RL: SPN (Synthetic preparation); PREP (Preparation)
 (device for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles with high quality for nuclear fuel)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH4)2U2O7) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
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O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

IT 15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate
 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles with high quality for nuclear fuel)

RN 15905-86-9 HCAPLUS
 CN Nitric acid, uranium salt (8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)



●_x U(x)

IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, uses
 RL: NUU (Other use, unclassified); USES (Uses)
 (gas; device for preparation of ammonium diuranate particles with high quality for nuclear fuel)

RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

L72 ANSWER 9 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN
 AN 1994:110931 HCAPLUS Full-text
 DN 120:110931
 OREF 120:19535a,19538a
 TI Method and apparatus for manufacture of ammonium diuranate particles
 IN Yoshimuta, Hideji
 PA Genshi Nenryo Kogyo, Japan
 SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 7 pp.
 CODEN: JKXXAF
 DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
FI	JP 05279043	A	19931026	JP 1992-71699	19920327 <--
	JP 2836711	B2	19981214		
PRAI	JP 1992-71699		19920327		
AB	In manufacture of (NH ₄) ₂ UO ₃ particles from UO ₂ (NO ₃) ₂ by external gelation, mist of ammoniated aqueous solution (e.g., saturated NH ₄ OH) having average diameter ≤30 μm is sprayed on liquid drops of UO ₂ (NO ₃) ₂ solution by ultrasonic atomizers. The apparatus comprises a nozzle for dripping liquid drops of UO ₂ (NO ₃) ₂ solution, a precipitation tank containing ammoniated aqueous solution for receiving the dripped liquid drops, and ultrasonic atomizers located between the nozzle and the precipitation tank for spraying the mist on the liquid drops.				
IC	ICM C01G0043-00				
	ICS B01J0002-02; B01J0002-04				
CC	49-5 (Industrial Inorganic Chemicals)				
ST	ammonium uranate particle manuf app				
IT	Atomizers, spraying (acoustic, for spraying of ammonium hydroxide mist on uranium nitrate solution drops, in manufacture of ammonium uranate particles)				
IT	1336-21-6, Ammonium hydroxide RL: USES (Uses) (aqueous solution, reaction of, with uranium nitrate, in manufacture of ammonium uranate particles, apparatus for)				
IT	7783-22-4P RL: PREP (Preparation) (particles, manufacture of, from uranium nitrate and ammonium hydroxide, by external gelation, apparatus for)				
IT	15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent) (reaction of, with ammonium hydroxide, in manufacture of ammonium uranate particles, apparatus for)				
IT	1336-21-6, Ammonium hydroxide RL: USES (Uses) (aqueous solution, reaction of, with uranium nitrate, in manufacture of ammonium uranate particles, apparatus for)				
RN	1336-21-6 HCAPLUS				
CN	Ammonium hydroxide ((NH ₄)(OH)) (CA INDEX NAME)				

H₄N—OH

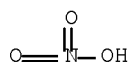
IT 7783-22-4P
RL: PREP (Preparation)
(particles, manufacture of, from uranium nitrate and ammonium hydroxide, by external gelation, apparatus for)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH₄)₂UO₇) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component	Registry Number
O	7		17778-80-2
H ₄ N	2		14798-03-9
U	2		7440-61-1

IT 15905-86-9, Uranium nitrate
 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (reaction of, with ammonium hydroxide, in manufacture of ammonium
 uranate particles, apparatus for)
 RN 15905-86-9 HCAPLUS
 CN Nitric acid, uranium salt (8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)



●x U(x)

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L72 ANSWER 10 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN
 AN 1990:225154 HCAPLUS Full-text
 DN 112:225154
 OREF 112:37855a,37858a
 TI On fabrication of uranium dioxide microspheres by internal gelation
 process
 AU Cao, Xinsheng; Minato, Kazuo; Kobayashi, Fumiaki; Fukuda, Kousaku
 CS Tokai Res. Establ., Japan At. Energy Res. Inst., Tokai, Japan
 SO Nippon Genshiryoku Kenkyusho, [Rep.] JAERI-M (1989), JAERI-M-89-180, 17
 pp.
 CODEN: NGJMAU; ISSN: 0369-3961
 DT Report
 LA English
 AB Microspherical UO₂ kernels for HTGR coated fuel particles were fabricated by
 the internal gelation process in order to exam. some properties of these
 spheres. The fabrication run was made twice, using different nozzle sizes
 where droplets of U nitrate acid containing hexamethylenetetramine and urea
 were dropped into the warmed paraffin oil. Characterization was made on the
 diameter, sphericity, d., grain size and crushing strength of the sphere, and
 comparison of surface appearance and fracture surface of the particles
 fabricated by this process with those by the external process (SNAM process)
 was made by SEM observation.
 CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)
 IT Calcination
 (of ammonium diuranate particles in uranium dioxide
 microsphere fabrication by internal gelation process)
 IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, uses and miscellaneous
 RL: USES (Uses)
 (ammonium nitrate removal by dilute aqueous solution of, in fabrication of
 uranium dioxide microspheres by internal gelation process)
 IT 1344-58-7P, Uranium oxide (UO₃)
 RL: FORM (Formation, nonpreparative); PREP (Preparation)
 (formation of, by calcination of ammonium diuranate
 particles in uranium dioxide microsphere fabrication by internal
 gelation process)
 IT 15905-86-9 57-13-6, Urea, uses and miscellaneous 100-97-0,
 uses and miscellaneous
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (in uranium dioxide microsphere fabrication by internal gelation
 process)
 IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, uses and miscellaneous

RL: USES (Uses)

(ammonium nitrate removal by dilute aqueous solution of, in fabrication of uranium dioxide microspheres by internal gelation process)

RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

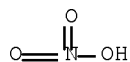
IT 15905-86-9

RL: PROC (Process)

(in uranium dioxide microsphere fabrication by internal gelation process)

RN 15905-86-9 HCAPLUS

CN Nitric acid, uranium salt (8CI, 9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)



●_x U(x)

L72 ANSWER 11 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1987:184561 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 106:184561

OREF 106:29809a,29812a

TI Uranyl hydrogel leaching - one of the technological steps in the sol-gel technique. Part 3.

AU Melichar, Frantisek; Landspersky, Hanus

CS Ustav Jad. Vyzk., Rez, Czech.

SO JADERNA Energie (1986), 32(11), 415-21

CODEN: JADEAQ; ISSN: 0448-116X

DT Journal

LA Czech

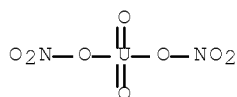
AB The course of leaching the fine fraction of uranyl hydrogel prepared by the internal gelation technique from aqueous solns. of UO₂(NO₃)₂ with urea and urotropine was studied. Two liquid nozzles were used for the preparation of the dispersion; a polydisperse mixture was obtained with a mean particle size of 300 μm. The leaching was carried out in extraction vessels in 0.5-2M aqueous solution of NH₃ at a solid/:liquid phase ratio (s/p) between 1:10 and 1:2 with the addition of a wetting agent and for 5-60 min. The effect of these parameters on the content of U, on the residual content of NO₃⁻, as well as on the content of C and sorbed NH₄OH in the solid phase, and on the content of leached NO₃⁻ and U in the leaching solution was investigated. The leaching was so rapid that practically a steady state was reached after 5 min of leaching, and continued leaching up to 60 min did not affect the composition of both the solid and liquid phases. The optimum leaching parameters under the given exptl. conditions of leaching were approx. 1M aqueous solution of NH₃ at a s/p ratio of 1:5 for 5 min. The kinetics of leaching of carbonaceous substances was evaluated by using previously verified equations, and the diffusional mechanism of stabilized ammonium polyuranate skeleton formation was again corroborated.

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

IT 1336-21-6, Ammonium hydroxide
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (leaching of uranyl hydrogel by solution containing)
 IT 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (leaching of uranyl hydrogel from)
 IT 1344-57-6P, Uranium dioxide, preparation 11137-99-8P,
 Ammonium polyuranate
 RL: PREP (Preparation)
 (production of, uranyl hydrogel leaching in sol-gel process in relation to)
 IT 1336-21-6, Ammonium hydroxide
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (leaching of uranyl hydrogel by solution containing)
 RN 1336-21-6 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonium hydroxide ((NH4)(OH)) (CA INDEX NAME)

H₄N—OH

IT 10102-06-4, Uranyl nitrate
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (leaching of uranyl hydrogel from)
 RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS
 CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



IT 11137-99-8P, Ammonium polyuranate
 RL: PREP (Preparation)
 (production of, uranyl hydrogel leaching in sol-gel process in relation to)
 RN 11137-99-8 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonium uranium oxide (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
O	x	17778-80-2
H4N	x	14798-03-9
U	x	7440-61-1

L72 ANSWER 12 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN
 AN 1987:122406 HCAPLUS Full-text
 DN 106:122406
 OREF 106:19977a,19980a
 TI Conversion of uranium hexafluoride into the dioxide powder
 IN Tanaka, Akira; Umemura, Akio
 PA Mitsubishi Metal Corp., Japan
 SO Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 7 pp.
 CODEN: JKXXAF
 DT Patent

LA Japanese

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	JP 61275131	A	19861205	JP 1985-116270	19850529
PRAI	JP 1985-116270		19850529		

AB UF6 gas and aqueous NH3 (along with CO2 and/or carrier gas) are injected (by ≥ 1 double nozzle) into a tower at $\geq 140^\circ$ to give an $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{UO}_2(\text{CO}_3)_2$ (I) fluidized bed [with $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{UO}_2(\text{CO}_3)_2$], which is heated in flowing H_2 + steam to convert into UO_2 (or via UO_3 and/or U_3O_8 in steam). The resulting UO_2 powder has higher activity and fluidity, and less F content (hence simpler process without UF_4 sintering) than that from conventional process without aqueous NH_3 . Thus, UF_6 90, aqueous NH_3 60 g/min, and air were injected at the bottom into a tower (with an inverted conical bottom) to give 35 cm/s gas speed at 250° and to produce I 73 g/min as a fluidized bed, and I was heated in another tower at 550° by injection of a 1:1 mol ratio mixture of H_2 and steam to give 20 cm/s. The UO_2 69 g/min had bulk d. 2.5, sp. surface area 2.5 m^2/g , average diameter 96 μ , and U and F contents 87.7% and 48 ppm, resp., vs. 2.8, 1.0, 145, and 87.8 and 276 without aqueous NH_3 at 280° and 25 cm/s to obtain I 79 g/min at 1st and at 600° finally.

IC ICM C01G0043-025

CC 49-3 (Industrial Inorganic Chemicals)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate 30742-12-2P
 RL: RCT (Reactant); PREP (Preparation); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (formation and reaction of, in fluidized-bed preparation of uranium dioxide from uranium hexafluoride)

IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, reactions
 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (reaction of, with uranium hexafluoride in fluidized bed, for preparation of uranium dioxide with low fluoride content)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium diuranate
 RL: RCT (Reactant); PREP (Preparation); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (formation and reaction of, in fluidized-bed preparation of uranium dioxide from uranium hexafluoride)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide $((\text{NH}_4)_2\text{UO}_2\text{O}_7)$ (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

IT 7664-41-7, Ammonia, reactions
 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (reaction of, with uranium hexafluoride in fluidized bed, for preparation of uranium dioxide with low fluoride content)

RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

DN 101:13852
 OREF 101:2145a,2148a
 TI Hydrolysis column for use in producing ammonium diuranate
 IN Scherpenberg, Joseph J.
 PA Westinghouse Electric Corp. , USA
 SO Ger. Offen., 17 pp.
 CODEN: GWXXBX
 DT Patent
 LA German
 FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	DE 3332849	A1	19840405	DE 1983-3332849	19830912
	GB 2128974	A	19840510	GB 1983-23931	19830907
	GB 2128974	B	19860910		
	SE 8305000	A	19840331	SE 1983-5000	19830916
	SE 458445	B	19890403		
	SE 458445	C	19890727		
	FR 2533908	A1	19840406	FR 1983-15441	19830928
	FR 2533908	B1	19860509		
	JP 59092920	A	19840529	JP 1983-179472	19830929
	JP 60058174	B	19851218		
	BE 897888	A1	19840330	BE 1983-211626	19830930
PRAI	US 1982-432031	A	19820930		

AB A hydrolysis column for use in manufacturing ammonium diuranate [7783-22-4] comprises a gas inlet for adding UF₆ [7783-81-5] gas. The gas inlet is in the form of a nozzle plate with a thermally insulated plate piece and an inclined nozzle channel, the back end of which is connected to a UF₆ inlet channel. The exit end of the nozzle channel projects into the inside of the column. The ammonium diuranate is produced in this apparatus by hydrolysis of UF₆ with H₂O to recover HF containing UOF₂, which is further treated to recover U from the solution

IC C01G0043-00; G21C0003-42

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

ST hydrolysis column ammonium diuranate; uranium fluoride
 hydrolysis column; reactor fuel ammonium diuranate
 manuf

IT Nuclear reactor fuels and fuel elements
 (manufacture of, hydrolysis column for use in producing ammonia
 diuranate in relation to)

IT Hydrolysis
 (of uranium hexafluoride, in column for producing ammonium
 diuranate)

IT 7783-81-5
 RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
 (hydrolysis of, in column for producing ammonium
 diuranate)

IT 7783-22-4P
 RL: PREP (Preparation)
 (production of, hydrolysis column for)

IT 7783-22-4P
 RL: PREP (Preparation)
 (production of, hydrolysis column for)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH₄)₂U₂O₇) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
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O		7		17778-80-2
H4N		2		14798-03-9
U		2		7440-61-1

L72 ANSWER 14 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1981:73407 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 94:73407

OREF 94:11843a,11846a

TI Feed solution containing uranyl nitrate for producing sperhical nuclear fuel particles

IN Hein, Kurt; Zimmer, Erich

PA Kernforschungsanlage Juelich G.m.b.H., Fed. Rep. Ger.

SO Ger. Offen., 15 pp.

CODEN: GWXXBX

DT Patent

LA German

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	DE 2922686	A1	19801211	DE 1979-2922686	19790602 <--
	DE 2922686	C2	19830421		
	EP 19853	A1	19801210	EP 1980-102843	19800522 <--
	EP 19853	B1	19830921		
	R: BE, FR, GB, IT				
	US 4384990	A	19830524	US 1980-154449	19800529 <--
	JP 55167134	A	19801226	JP 1980-72863	19800602 <--
PRAI	DE 1979-2922686	A	19790602		

OS MARPAT 94:73407

AB A highly viscous feed solution containing UO₂(NO₃)₂ (I) [10102-06-4] 1.8, NH₄NO₃(II) 4, and a polyalc. 4M, and 90% pre-neutralized with NH₃ and NH₄HCO₃(III) can be used in the external gelation process to prepare fuel particles of diameter >1.5 mm. Thus, 903 g I and 288 g II were dissolved in water followed by 109 g sorbitol [50-70-4], 44 g NH₃, and 50 g III to give a hydrosol of viscosity 180 mPa-s. This solution was used to prepare highly homogeneous UO₂ particles of diameter 0.9 mm. The ratio of the diams. of the largest to the smallest particles was 1.03.

IC G21C0003-62

CC 71-6 (Nuclear Technology)

IT 10102-06-4

RL: PROC (Process)

(feed solution containing, for preparation of spherical nuclear fuel particles)

IT 1066-33-7 7664-41-7, uses and miscellaneous

RL: PROC (Process)

(for neutralization of feed solns. containing uranyl nitrate and polyols and ammonium nitrate for preparation of spherical nuclear reactor fuel particles)

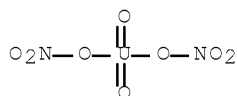
IT 10102-06-4

RL: PROC (Process)

(feed solution containing, for preparation of spherical nuclear fuel particles)

RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS

CN Uranium, bis(nitrato- κ O)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



IT 7664-41-7, uses and miscellaneous
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (for neutralization of feed solns. containing uranyl nitrate and polyols
 and ammonium nitrate for preparation of spherical nuclear reactor fuel
 particles)
 RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

L72 ANSWER 15 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1980:49223 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 92:49223

OREF 92:8039a,8042a

TI Apparatus for preparing hydrosols by introducing ammonia into a solution
 containing salts of nuclear fuel and nuclear breeder materials

IN Ringel, Helmut

PA Kernforschungsanlage Juelich G.m.b.H., Fed. Rep. Ger.

SO Ger., 5 pp.

CODEN: GWXXAW

DT Patent

LA German

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	DE 2823238	B1	19791031	DE 1978-2823238	19780527 <--
	DE 2823238	C2	19800717		
PRAI	DE 1978-2823238		19780527		

AB A device is described for the title purpose, consisting of a rotor (driven by
 a shaft) immersible in the solution and having openings at the end of an
 associated gas tube for feeding gas into the solution In an example, the
 device was used for introducing NH₃ into solns. containing Th(NO₃)₄ both with
 and without UO₂(NO₃)₂. A 16-mm long rotor was used, rotating inside a stator
 at 500-1000 rpm. The stator wall was 35 mm thick. Hydrosols for the
 manufacture of reactor fuels were thus prepared

IC G21C0003-48

CC 71-6 (Nuclear Technology)

IT 7664-41-7, uses and miscellaneous

RL: PROC (Process)

(in hydrosol preparation for reactor fuel manufacture, apparatus for
 introduction of)

IT 10102-06-4 13823-29-5

RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)

(reaction of, with ammonia in solution for preparation of hydrosols)

IT 7664-41-7, uses and miscellaneous

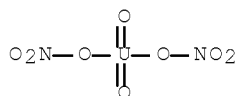
RL: PROC (Process)

(in hydrosol preparation for reactor fuel manufacture, apparatus for
 introduction of)

RN 7664-41-7 HCAPLUS
CN Ammonia (CA INDEX NAME)

NH₃

IT 10102-06-4
RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(reaction of, with ammonia in solution for preparation of hydrosols)
RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS
CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 16 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN
AN 1979:94193 HCAPLUS Full-text
DN 90:94193
OREF 90:14803a,14806a
TI Hydrolysis column for an ammonium diuranate conversion
line processing system
IN Fuller, Robert R.
PA Westinghouse Electric Corp., USA
SO U.S., 6 pp.
CODEN: USXXAM
DT Patent
LA English
FAN.CNT 2

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	US 4126420	A	19781121	US 1976-701069	19760629 <--
	JP 53003997	A	19780114	JP 1977-76223	19770628
PRAI	US 1976-701069	A	19760629		

AB An improved nozzle used in an NH₄ diuranate [7783-22-4] conversion line processing system is described. It consists of an hydrolysis column to hydrolyze UF₆ [7783-81-5] gas with H₂O and includes a pipe having a H₂O inlet, a connector inserted in the pipe intermediate along its length, and a gas nozzle connected to the connector to feed UF₆ gas into the H₂O. Because of f.p. of UF₆ is 147 °F, the gas nozzle is heated by steam which flows through internal passageways, thus imparting sufficient heat to the nozzle which then acts as a heat sink to maintain the gas in a fluid state. The gas-water mixture is then discharged through the pipe outlet to the next step in the process.
IC B01J0010-00
INCL 422162000
CC 71-6 (Nuclear Technology)
ST hydrolysis column ammonium diuranate conversion;
ammonium diuranate conversion line processing; uranium
fluoride hydrolysis water column; fuel ammonium
diuranate conversion
IT Nuclear reactor fuels and fuel elements

(manufacture of, hydrolysis column for ammonium diuranate conversion line processing system in)

IT Hydrolysis
(of uranium hexafluoride with water in ammonium diuranate conversion line processing system)

IT 7783-81-5
RL: RCT (Reactant); RACT (Reactant or reagent)
(hydrolysis of, in ammonium diuranate conversion line processing system)

IT 7783-22-4
RL: PROC (Process)
(processing conversion line for, hydrolysis column for)

IT 7783-22-4
RL: PROC (Process)
(processing conversion line for, hydrolysis column for)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH₄)₂U₂O₇) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component	Registry Number
O	7		17778-80-2
H4N	2		14798-03-9
U	2		7440-61-1

OSC.G 1 THERE ARE 1 CAPLUS RECORDS THAT CITE THIS RECORD (1 CITINGS)

L72 ANSWER 17 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1975:522898 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 83:122898

OREF 83:19241a,19244a

TI Drying of wet gel entities

IN Ellis, John Frederick

PA United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority, UK

SO Brit., 2 pp.

CODEN: BRXXAA

DT Patent

LA English

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	GB 1391416	A	19750423	GB 1971-51641	19721016 <--
PRAI	GB 1971-51641		19721016		

AB Reactor fuel element spheres of ammonium diuranate [7783-22-4], prepared by gel precipitation, were dried without agglomeration and with low fire and toxicity risks by heating in trichloroethylene [79-01-6]. The extracted H₂O and ClCH:CCl₂ formed a refluxing pseudo-azeotropic mixture. The H₂O-ClCH:CCl₂ vapor mixture driven off was condensed into a trap from which the H₂O was separated. Initially the spheres floated on the liquid surface but during reflux they sank. ClCH:CCl₂ was removed from the spheres by vacuum-assisted filtration.

IC B01D

CC 71-6 (Nuclear Technology)

ST ammonium uranate gel drying; chloroethylene drying gel sphere; nuclear reactor fuel drying; safety gel sphere drying

IT Safety
(in drying of ammonium diuranate gel spheres, wash liquor in relation to)

IT Nuclear reactor fuels and fuel elements
(manufacture of ammonium diuranate spheres for,

trichloroethylene as drying agent in)

IT Drying agents
(trichloroethylene, for ammonium diuranate gel spheres)

IT 79-01-6P
RL: PREP (Preparation)
(drying of ammonium diuranate gel spheres in)

IT 7783-22-4
RL: PROC (Process)
(gel spheres, drying in trichloroethylene)

IT 7783-22-4
RL: PROC (Process)
(gel spheres, drying in trichloroethylene)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH4)2U2O7) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

L72 ANSWER 18 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1972:161488 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 76:161488

OREF 76:26273a,26276a

TI Making spherical particles containing uranium, plutonium, thorium, or other transuranium elements

IN Stijnen, Jozef; Lafontaine, Ivan

PA Belgonucleaire S. A.

SO Belg., 6 pp.

CODEN: BEXXAL

DT Patent

LA French

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	BE 757712		19710401	BE	19701020 <--
	FR 2111523			FR	
	GB 1317388			GB	

AB Drops of a solution or dispersion of salts of the title elements, e.g. UO₂(NO₃)₂, are added to a reactive medium, e.g. NH₄OH, to form spherical particles. The drops are introduced into the medium with an inert and substantially immiscible liquid having a d. lower than that of the reactive solution, e.g., an alc. such as amyl alc. hexanol, etc. or benzene, xylene, heptane, etc.

CC 76 (Nuclear Technology)

IT 1336-21-6

RL: PROC (Process)

(in uranium oxide spherical particle formation, in inner matrix)

IT 10102-06-4

RL: PROC (Process)

(uranium oxide spherical particles formed by, through conversion to ammonium diuranate)

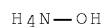
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RL: PROC (Process)

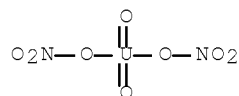
(in uranium oxide spherical particle formation, in inner matrix)

RN 1336-21-6 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium hydroxide ((NH₄)(OH)) (CA INDEX NAME)



IT 10102-06-4
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (uranium oxide spherical particles formed by, through conversion to
 ammonium diuranate)
 RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS
 CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 19 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1972:161487 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 76:161487

OREF 76:26273a,26276a

TI Making spherical fuel particles containing uranium, plutonium, thorium, or
 other transuranium elements

IN Stijnen, Jozef; Lafontaine, Ivan

PA Belgonucleaire S. A.

SO Belg., 7 pp.

CODEN: BEXXAL

DT Patent

LA French

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
PI	BE 757713		19710401	BE	19701020 <--
	DE 2150474			DE	
	FR 2111523			FR	
	GB 1317388			GB	

AB Drops of a solution or dispersion of salts of the title elements, e.g.
 UO₂(NO₃)₂, are added to a reactive medium, e.g. NH₄OH, whereby spherical
 particles are formed. An injector is used, which throws the drops by using a
 gas, e.g. air, under an angle (formed between the injector axis and the bath
 surface) <45°, preferably 25-35°.

CC 76 (Nuclear Technology)

IT 1336-21-6

RL: PROC (Process)

(in nuclear reactor fuel spherical particle production)

IT 1344-57-6P, preparation

RL: PREP (Preparation)

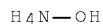
(of spherical particles of, from uranyl nitrate solns. by conversion to
 ammonium diuranate and heating)

IT 10102-06-4

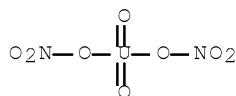
RL: PROC (Process)

(uranium oxide spherical particle formation from, by conversion to
 ammonium diuranate)

IT 1336-21-6
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (in nuclear reactor fuel spherical particle production)
 RN 1336-21-6 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonium hydroxide ((NH4)(OH)) (CA INDEX NAME)



IT 10102-06-4
 RL: PROC (Process)
 (uranium oxide spherical particle formation from, by conversion to
 ammonium diuranate)
 RN 10102-06-4 HCAPLUS
 CN Uranium, bis(nitrato-κO)dioxo-, (T-4)- (CA INDEX NAME)



L72 ANSWER 20 OF 20 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1964:88207 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 60:88207

OREF 60:15402f-g

TI Spherical uranium-containing granules

IN Akimoto, Yumi; Suehiro, Yoshiyeki

PA Mitsubishi Metal Mining Co., Ltd.

SO 13 pp.

DT Patent

LA Unavailable

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	BE 628797		19630616	BE	
	GB 1030417			GB	
	US 3228749		19660111	US 1963-257364	19630206 <--
PRAI	JP		19620223		

AB A hydrophilic not very H2O-soluble U compound, such as UO3, (NH4)2U2O7, or UF4 is suspended in an oil, and the suspension is mixed with a H2O phase containing a product that favors the transfer of the U compound from the oil to the H2O. Thus, 300 g. dried (NH4)2U2O7 is ball milled in C6H6 for 4 hrs. and 25 g. octadecyl alc. (dispersion stabilizing agent) is added. A 500-ml. C6H6 suspension is stirred in 1-l. vessel at 600 r.p.m. by using a flat vane, and 80 ml. (UO2)2 (50 g./l.) is gradually added. After 2 hrs. stirring, the material is filtered to give spherical (NH4)2U2O7 granules passing through a 50-mesh sieve. The yield is 77%. This product is used for nuclear fuel.

CC 13 (Nuclear Technology)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium uranate(VI), (NH4)2U2O7

RL: PREP (Preparation)

(manufacture of spherical)

IT 7783-22-4P, Ammonium uranate(VI), (NH4)2U2O7

RL: PREP (Preparation)

(manufacture of spherical)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS

CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH4)2U2O7) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
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O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

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L82 ANSWER 1 OF 1 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1972:120542 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 76:120542

OREF 76:19459a,19462a

TI Spherical oxidic and carbidic uranium and uranium-thorium nuclear fuel for high-temperature reactors

IN Foerster, Horst; Hackstein, Karl G.; Kadner, Martin

PA NUKEM, Nuklear-Chemie und -Metallurgie G.m.b.H.

SO Ger. Offen., 9 pp.

CODEN: GWXXBX

DT Patent

LA German

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	DE 2037232	A	19720309	DE 1970-2037232	19700728 <--
	DE 2037232	B2	19740509		
	DE 2037232	C3	19750102		
	FR 2099628	A5	19720317	FR 1971-19300	19710527 <--
	FR 2099628	B1	19760206		
	US 3781216	A	19731225	US 1971-158094	19710629
	GB 1365896	A	19740904	GB 1971-35113	19710727 <--
PRAI	DE 1970-2037232	A	19700728		

AB Spherical UO₂, UO₂-ThO₂, and UC₂-ThC₂ particles of diameter 300-400 μ and high d. were manufactured from poly(vinyl alc.)-containing aqueous solns. of Th(NO₃)₄ and (or) UO₂(NO₃)₂ by dropping into ammoniacal solns. and sintering or melting the formed precipitate at ≥1600°. The addition of poly(vinyl alc.) caused a delay of precipitation and a surface tension sufficient for the formation of spheres. Thus, 25 g petrolatum was dispersed in 1 l. aqueous UO₂(NO₃)₂ solution containing 120 g U and 40 g poly(vinyl alc.)/l. and the mixture passed through nozzles into aqueous NH₄OH solution to give spherical (NH₄)₂U₂O₇ particles which were treated with iso-PrOH at 50° to remove the poly(vinyl alc.). The particles were sintered in H at 1600° to give UO₂ spherules of diameter .apprx.400 μ and d. 85% of theoretical.

IC C04B; C01F; C01G; G21C

CC 76 (Nuclear Technology)

IT Nuclear reactor fuels and fuel elements

(preparation of oxide and carbide)

IT 7783-22-4

RL: PROC (Process)

(in uranium dioxide particle manufacture)

IT 7783-22-4

RL: PROC (Process)

(in uranium dioxide particle manufacture)

RN 7783-22-4 HCAPLUS
 CN Ammonium uranium oxide ((NH4)2U2O7) (CA INDEX NAME)

Component	Ratio	Component
		Registry Number
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O	7	17778-80-2
H4N	2	14798-03-9
U	2	7440-61-1

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L89 ANSWER 1 OF 3 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN
 AN 2003:397313 HCAPLUS Full-text
 DN 139:123937
 TI Effects of nozzle aperture on vibration dispersion of liquid jet
 AU Wang, Lu-quan; Ying, Shi-hao; Jiang, Huai; Ji, Chang-hong; Yin, Rong-cai;
 Li, Guang-rong
 CS National Key Laboratory for Nuclear Fuel and Materials, Nuclear Power
 Institute of China, Chengdu, 610005, Peop. Rep. China
 SO Hedongli Gongcheng (2003), 24(2), 142-144,163
 CODEN: HDGOE6; ISSN: 0258-0926
 PB Yuanzineng Chubanshe
 DT Journal
 LA Chinese
 AB To control the size of small UO2 microspheres, vibration is used to control
 the dispersion process of liquid jet. The effects of aperture type, diameter
 and other parameters on the dispersion have been studied. The aperture with
 cone-shaped leading hole and small diameter is more beneficial to the
 realization of uniform dispersion of jet by vibration, as compared with that
 with cylinder-shaped leading hole and large diameter
 CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)
 IT Dispersion (of materials)
 Microspheres
 Nuclear fuels
 (effects of nozzle aperture on vibration dispersion of liquid
 jet)
 IT 1344-57-6, Urania, processes
 RL: PEP (Physical, engineering or chemical process); PYP (Physical
 process); PROC (Process)
 (effects of nozzle aperture on vibration dispersion of liquid
 jet)

L89 ANSWER 2 OF 3 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN
 AN 1983:97695 HCAPLUS Full-text
 DN 98:97695
 OREF 98:14771a,14774a
 TI Device and methods for producing spherical particles from spontaneously
 reacting liquid components
 IN Huschka, Hans; Wehner, Erwin
 PA NUKEM G.m.b.H., Fed. Rep. Ger.
 SO Ger. Offen., 16 pp.
 CODEN: GWXXBX
 DT Patent
 LA German
 FAN.CNT 1

PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI DE 3126854 A1 19830127 DE 1981-3126854 19810708 <--
 DE 3126854 C2 19840927
 PRAI DE 1981-3126854 19810708 <--

AB To produce spherical particles (e.g. reactor fuel particles) with diams. of 50-2500 μm and a narrow grain-size spectrum from 2 liquid components spontaneously reacting with each other, the components are fed through sep. nozzles which are so arranged that both streams of droplets (produced by vibration) meet at an angle of 10-120°. Thus, spherical particles with diams. of $\leq 900 \mu\text{m}$ for nuclear technol. can be produced from a uranyl nitrate solution which is decomposed with hexamethylenetetraamine (I). For example, a solution consisting of aqueous uranyl nitrate with a U content of 500 g/L and urea content of 250 g/L is combined in the apparatus (by air pressure through a nozzle) with another aqueous solution of I with concentration 375 g/L. The nozzles were directed at an angle of 60° to one another at a distance of 25 mm. A synchronous vibration of 100 Hz was applied to the solns. before the nozzles. The gelled spheres fell directly into an aqueous NH_3 wash solution. After washing, they were dried, reduced under H to 1650° and sintered to produce (92% yield) high-d. ceramic kernels of UO_2 with an average diameter of 502 μm .

IC B01J0002-18; C01G0043-025; G21C0003-62; C04B0035-00

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

ST spherical particle prodn reacting liq; fuel pellet prodn reacting liq;
 reactor fuel pellet prodn nozzle

IT Nozzles

(in spherical particle manufacture from spontaneously reacting liquid components)

IT Nuclear reactor fuels and fuel elements

(manufacture of spherical particles, from spontaneously reacting liquid components)

OSC.G 5 THERE ARE 5 CAPLUS RECORDS THAT CITE THIS RECORD (5 CITINGS)

RE.CNT 6 THERE ARE 6 CITED REFERENCES AVAILABLE FOR THIS RECORD

ALL CITATIONS AVAILABLE IN THE RE FORMAT

L89 ANSWER 3 OF 3 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN

AN 1983:97687 HCAPLUS Full-text

DN 98:97687

OREF 98:14771a,14774a

TI Device and methods for producing gel particles containing fissile or fertile material

IN Gerontopoulos, Panayotis; Rotoloni, Pierluigi; Fava, Roberto

PA Agip Nucleare S.p.A., Italy; Comitato Nazionale per l'Energia Nucleare (CNEN)

SO Ger. Offen., 12 pp.

CODEN: GWXXBX

DT Patent

LA German

FAN.CNT 1

	PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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PI	DE 3208048	A1	19820916	DE 1982-3208048	19820305 <--
	DE 3208048	C2	19880721		
	GB 2094283	A	19820915	GB 1982-6218	19820303 <--
	GB 2094283	B	19841219		
	BE 892385	A1	19820906	BE 1982-207487	19820305 <--
	FR 2501058	A1	19820910	FR 1982-3782	19820305 <--
	FR 2501058	B1	19870605		
PRAI	IT 1981-20167	A	19810306	<--	

AB Gel particles from droplets of a solution containing metal salts of fissile or fertile material are formed in a precipitation bath of an NH_4OH solution. The

apparatus consists of a feed vessel under pressure from which the solution to be processed is led over a thermostat to the spray nozzles. The drops which are formed fall into the precipitation bath from which the gel particles are obtained. The spray nozzles are blanketed by a gas (air) stream of NH₃-containing water vapor from the precipitation bath. The NH₃ concentration in the water vapor is controlled by drawing off the water vapor. In an example, an aqueous solution containing 0.168 mol/L of Pu(NO₃)₄, 0.672 mol/L of UO₂(NO₃)₂, 30 volume% tetrahydrofurfuryl alc., and 9 g/L of Me cellulose (methocel K4M) was converted into spherical gel particles of NH₄ diuranate/Pu hydroxide by using an apparatus with 6 nozzles. The spray velocity through each nozzle was held at 0.5 m/s. The obtained gel particles were washed with pure H₂O and dried, then finally heated at .apprx.1300° and sintered to produce spherical UO₂/PuO₂ particles of diameter 750 ± 15 µm.

IC B01J0013-00; C01G0056-00; G21C0003-62

CC 71-5 (Nuclear Technology)

Section cross-reference(s): 48

ST gelation manuf reactor fuel particle; nozzle process gel particle formation

IT Nozzles

(in gel spherical particle manufacture)

IT Nuclear reactor fuels and fuel elements

(manufacture of spherical particles, by gel process)

IT Gels

(spherical particles, nozzle method for production of)

IT 1344-57-6D, solid solns. with plutonium oxide 12059-95-9D, solid solns. with uranium oxide

RL: PROC (Process)

(gel particle formation by nozzle spraying into ammonium hydroxide in relation to)

IT 97-99-4 9004-67-5

RL: PROC (Process)

(in gel particle formation by nozzle spraying into ammonium hydroxide)

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L105 ANSWER 1 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 2007-408819 [39] WPIX Full-text

DNC C2007-148440 [39]

TI Ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus has ammonia gas blowing-up supply nozzle with several nozzles arranged along fall path, supplies ammonia gas from downward direction towards falling droplet of undiluted solution

DC E31; K05

IN HONDA M

PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK

CYC 1

PIA JP 2007119298 A 20070517 (200739)* JA 11[2]

ADT JP 2007119298 A JP 2005-313694 20051028

PRAI JP 2005-313694 20051028

AB JP 2007119298 A UPAB: 20070620

NOVELTY - An undiluted solution dripping apparatus (2) has dripping nozzle (7) that drips undiluted solution containing uranyl nitrate to an ammonia water retention tank (3) which stores aqueous ammonia (10). An ammonia gas blowing-up supply nozzle has several nozzles (14A-14C) arranged along fall path, supplies ammonia gas from a downward direction towards the falling droplet. An atmosphere adjustment unit makes surroundings of dripping nozzle inert-gas atmosphere.

USE - For manufacturing ammonium diuranate particle.

ADVANTAGE - The ammonium diuranate particle of perfect sphere is manufactured efficiently.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a schematic view of the ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus. Ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus (1) Undiluted solution dripping apparatus (2) Ammonia water retention tank (3) Dripping nozzle (7) Aqueous ammonia (10) Nozzles (14A-14C)

L105 ANSWER 2 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 2007-247489 [25] WPIX Full-text

DNC C2007-090487 [25]

DNN N2007-184662 [25]

TI Ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus for gas cooled reactor, has flow generators to produce horizontal and vertical flow for ammonia aqueous solution in reaction tank installed with neutron absorber in hollow portion

DC E31; K05; X14

IN OKUBO K

PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK

CYC 1

PIA JP 2007055860 A 20070308 (200725)* JA 8[1]

ADT JP 2007055860 A JP 2005-244722 20050825

PRAI JP 2005-244722 20050825

AB JP 2007055860 A UPAB: 20070417

NOVELTY - A hollow cylindrical reaction tank (2) stores the ammonia aqueous solution containing uranyl nitrate-containing uranium of high enrichment, and reacting ammonia. A neutron absorber (4) is provided in the hollow portion of reaction tank. The horizontal and vertical flow generators (5,8) produces horizontal and vertical direction flow for ammonia aqueous solution in the reaction tank, respectively.

USE - For manufacturing ammonium diuranate (ADU) particle used as fuel for high temperature gas cooled reactor.

ADVANTAGE - The ammonium diuranate particle which has favorable sphericity degree is manufactured.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a schematic diagram of ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus. (Drawing includes non-English language text)

Reaction tank (2)

Dripping nozzle (3)

Neutron absorber (4)

Horizontal flow generator (5) Vertical flow generator (8)

L105 ANSWER 3 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 2006-574250 [59] WPIX Full-text

DNC C2006-178122 [59]

DNN N2006-461867 [59]

TI Apparatus for manufacturing ammonium diuranate particle, has ammonia aqueous solution storing tank, dripping apparatus having dripping nozzle, and overflow system provided at circumference of aqueous solution

DC E31; K05; X14

IN TAKAHASHI M

PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK

CYC 1

PIA JP 2006225242 A 20060831 (200659)* JA 7[2]

ADT JP 2006225242 A JP 2005-44788 20050221

PRAI JP 2005-44788 20050221

AB JP 2006225242 A UPAB: 20060914

NOVELTY - The ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus has a storage tank (2) for storing ammonia aqueous solution, a dripping apparatus (3) and an overflow system (5) provided at circumference of aqueous solution. The dripping apparatus has a dripping nozzle (4) provided upwards of the storage tank and drips uranyl nitrate-containing stock solution.

USE - For manufacturing ammonium diuranate particle used for fuel used for high temperature gas cooled reactor, hydrogen production and chemical processing plant.

ADVANTAGE - The apparatus enables to produce ammonium diuranate particle with favorable sphericity degree. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the schematic view of ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus.

Ammonium diuranate particle manufacturing apparatus (1) Storage tank (2) dripping apparatus (3)

dripping nozzle (4)

overflow system (5)

L105 ANSWER 4 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 2006-574245 [59] WPIX Full-text

DNC C2006-178117 [59]

DNN N2006-461863 [59]

TI Apparatus for manufacturing ammonium diuranate particles, has dripping nozzle which drips stock solution containing uranyl nitrate into ammonia aqueous solution, reaction tank and wave-production device

DC E31; K05; X14

IN OKUBO K
 PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK
 CYC 1
 PIA JP 2006225233 A 20060831 (200659)* JA 8[1]
 ADT JP 2006225233 A JP 2005-44586 20050221
 PRAI JP 2005-44586 20050221
 AB JP 2006225233 A UPAB: 20060914
 NOVELTY - A manufacturing apparatus (1) of ammonium diuranate particles (A) has a dripping nozzle (3) which drips stock solution containing uranyl nitrate at high concentration into ammonia aqueous solution (B), a reaction tank (2), and a wave-production device (4) which generates wave which moves in solution (B) at inclination portion. Solution (B) is stored in the reaction tank. Reaction tank of critical shape has inclination portion (6), which ejects particles in solution (B), and is provided in position, which faces portion (6).
 USE - For manufacturing ammonium diuranate particles.
 ADVANTAGE - The apparatus efficiently provides the ammonium diuranate particles with high sphericity degree, using high concentration uranium raw material. The amount of the ammonia aqueous solution in the reaction tank is maintained as constant. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows the ammonium diuranate particles manufacturing apparatus.
 Ammonium diuranate particles manufacturing apparatus (1) Reaction tank (2) Dripping nozzle (3)
 Wave-production device (4)
 Inclination portion (6)
 Ammonium diuranate particles (A)

L105 ANSWER 5 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 2005-333247 [34] WPIX Full-text
 DNC C2005-103554 [34]
 DNN N2005-272675 [34]
 TI Dripping nozzle device for heavy uranium acid ammonium particle manufacturing device, has vibration excitation unit that vibrates nozzles that drip undiluted solution containing uranyl nitrate into ammonia aqueous solution
 DC E31; J02; K05; P42; X14
 IN HONDA M; NISHIMURA K; OKUBO K; TAKAHASHI M; TAKAYAMA T; NISHIMURA K N F I L; OKUBO K N F I L; TAKAHASHI M N F I L; TAKAYAMA T N F I L
 PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK; (GNSH-C) NUCLEAR FUEL IND LTD; (HOND-I) HONDA M; (NISH-I) NISHIMURA K; (OKUB-I) OKUBO K; (TAKA-I) TAKAHASHI M; (TAKA-I) TAKAYAMA T
 CYC 106
 PIA WO 2005037715 A1 20050428 (200534)* JA 79[22] <--
 JP 2005119905 A 20050512 (200534) JA 9 <--
 JP 2005213136 A 20050811 (200553) JA 9 <--
 JP 2005219973 A 20050818 (200555) JA 8 <--
 JP 2005272172 A 20051006 (200566) JA 11 <--
 JP 2006056756 A 20060302 (200617) JA 11 <--
 JP 2006062886 A 20060309 (200618) JA 10 <--
 JP 2006096630 A 20060413 (200626) JA 13 <--
 JP 2006102574 A 20060420 (200627) JA 7
 EP 1686094 A1 20060802 (200650) EN
 CN 1867516 A 20061122 (200720) ZH
 US 20070056637 A1 20070315 (200722) EN <--
 ZA 2006003707 A 20070328 (200728) EN 124
 JP 4321859 B2 20090826 (200956) JA 11
 JP 4334316 B2 20090930 (200964) JA 9
 JP 4334366 B2 20090930 (200964) JA 9
 ADT WO 2005037715 A1 WO 2004-JP15278 20041015; JP 2005119905 A

JP 2003-356300 20031016; JP 2005213136 A JP 2004-26134
 20040202; JP 2005219973 A JP 2004-30112 20040206; JP
 2005272172 A JP 2004-84835 20040323; JP 4321859 B2 JP
 2004-84835 20040323; JP 2006056756 A JP 2004-241886 20040823
 ; JP 2006062886 A JP 2004-243811 20040824; JP 2006096630 A
 JP 2004-286349 20040930; JP 2006102574 A JP 2004-289669
 20041001; CN 1867516 A CN 2004-80030435 20041015; EP
 1686094 A1 EP 2004-792495 20041015; EP 1686094 A1 WO
 2004-JP15278 20041015; US 20070056637 A1 WO
 2004-JP15278 20041015; ZA 2006003707 A ZA 2006-3707 20060510; US
 20070056637 A1 US 2006-575661 20060620; JP 4334316 B2
 JP 2003-356300 20031016; JP 4334366 B2 JP 2004-30112
 20040206

FDT JP 4321859 B2 Previous Publ JP 2005272172 A; EP 1686094 A1
 Based on WO 2005037715 A; JP 4334316 B2 Previous Publ JP 2005119905
 A; JP 4334366 B2 Previous Publ JP 2005219973 A

PRAI JP 2004-289669 20041001
 JP 2003-356300 20031016
 JP 2004-26134 20040202
 JP 2004-30112 20040206
 JP 2004-84835 20040323
 JP 2004-241886 20040823
 JP 2004-243811 20040824
 JP 2004-286349 20040930

AB WO 2005037715 A1 UPAB: 20051222

NOVELTY - A vibration excitation unit vibrates the nozzles that drip an undiluted solution containing uranyl nitrate into ammonia aqueous solution stored in an ammonia aqueous solution storage tank, at the same time.
 DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:
 (1) undiluted solution collection device; (2) undiluted solution supply device; (3) droplet surface solidification device; (4) ammonia aqueous solution circulation system; and (5) heavy uranium acid ammonium particle manufacturing device.
 USE - For undiluted solution collection device (claimed), undiluted solution supply device (claimed), droplet surface solidification device (claimed), ammonia aqueous solution circulation system (claimed) used for heavy uranium acid ammonium particle manufacturing device (claimed). Also for manufacturing fuel for high temperature gas cooled reactor.
 ADVANTAGE - The high quality heavy uranium acid ammonium particle with favorable particle size and sphericity degree and without internal defect is manufactured uniformly since the undiluted solution is dropped uniformly.
 DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a diagrammatic view of the heavy uranium acid ammonium particle manufacturing device. heavy uranium acid ammonium particle manufacturing device (1) dripping nozzle device (2) ammonia aqueous storage tank (3) nozzle (4) ammonia gas supply line (9) ammonia aqueous solution (10)

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 AN 2005-326430 [34] WPIX Full-text
 DNC C2005-102284 [34]
 DNN N2005-266973 [34]
 TI Heavy uranium acid ammonium particle manufacturing apparatus, for gas-cooled nuclear reactor, drips uranyl nitrate containing undiluted solution into ammonia aqueous solution in storage tank, while supplying ammonia gas to storage tank
 DC E31; K05; X14
 IN NISHIMURA K
 PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK

CYC 1
 PIA JP 2005112664 A 20050428 (200534)* JA 10[5] <--
 JP 4318998 B2 20090826 (200956) JA 11
 ADT JP 2005112664 A JP 2003-348727 20031007; JP 4318998 B2 JP
 2003-348727 20031007
 FDT JP 4318998 B2 Previous Publ JP 2005112664 A
 PRAI JP 2003-348727 20031007
 AB JP 2005112664 A UPAB: 20051221
 NOVELTY - A droplet supply nozzle (4) drips a uranyl nitrate containing
 undiluted solution into the ammonia aqueous solution stored in a storage tank
 (2), while an ammonia gas supply unit (7) supplies ammonia gas to the storage
 tank.
 DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The ammonia gas supply unit has a flow rate adjustment
 unit to control flow rate of ammonia gas supplied into the ammonia aqueous
 solution.
 USE - For producing high quality heavy uranium acid ammonium, used as fuel for
 high temperature gas-cooled nuclear reactor.
 ADVANTAGE - The novel apparatus enables manufacture of high quality heavy
 uranium acid ammonium efficiently, without the need for replacing the ammonia
 aqueous solution, which improves manufacturing efficiency. DESCRIPTION OF
 DRAWINGS - The figure shows the above heavy uranium acid ammonium particle
 manufacturing apparatus. storage tank (2)
 inner cylinder (3)
 droplet supply nozzle (4)
 gas emission unit (5)
 gas supply line (6)
 gas supply unit (7)

L105 ANSWER 7 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 2000-422765 [36] WPIX Full-text
 DNC C2000-127804 [36]
 DNN N2000-315524 [36]
 TI New process for the preparation of a uranium oxide powder with good flow
 properties for inclusion in a mixed oxide fuel, by a dry atomization
 technique
 DC A97; E31; K05; X14
 IN BAUER M; BONNEROT J; BONNEROT J M; BRUNAUD L
 PA (COGM-C) CIE GEN MATIERES NUCLEAIRES SA; (COGM-C) COGEMA CIE GEN MATIERES
 NUCLEAIRES; (COMS-C) COMMISSARIAT ENERGIE ATOMIQUE
 CYC 21
 PIA WO 2000030978 A1 20000602 (200036)* FR 31[1] <--
 FR 2786479 A1 20000602 (200036) FR <--
 EP 1137597 A1 20011004 (200158) FR <--
 JP 2002530261 W 20020917 (200276) JA 23 <--
 US 6656391 B1 20031202 (200379) EN <--
 EP 1137597 B1 20040310 (200418) FR <--
 RU 2224720 C2 20040227 (200425) RU <--
 DE 69915509 E 20040415 (200426) DE <--
 ADT WO 2000030978 A1 WO 1999-FR2894 19991124; FR 2786479 A1 FR
 1998-14901 19981126; DE 69915509 E DE 1999-69915509 19991124
 ; EP 1137597 A1 EP 1999-956135 19991124; EP 1137597 B1 EP
 1999-956135 19991124; DE 69915509 E EP 1999-956135 19991124
 ; EP 1137597 A1 WO 1999-FR2894 19991124; JP 2002530261 W WO
 1999-FR2894 19991124; US 6656391 B1 WO 1999-FR2894
 19991124; EP 1137597 B1 WO 1999-FR2894 19991124; RU 2224720
 C2 WO 1999-FR2894 19991124; DE 69915509 E WO 1999-FR2894
 19991124; JP 2002530261 W JP 2000-583814 19991124; RU
 2224720 C2 RU 2001-117491 19991124; US 6656391 B1
 US 2001-831916 20010525

FDT DE 69915509 E Based on EP 1137597 A; EP 1137597 A1 Based on WO 2000030978 A; JP 2002530261 W Based on WO 2000030978 A; US 6656391 B1 Based on WO 2000030978 A; EP 1137597 B1 Based on WO 2000030978 A; RU 2224720 C2 Based on WO 2000030978 A; DE 69915509 E Based on WO 2000030978 A

PRAI FR 1998-14901 19981126

AB WO 2000030978 A1 UPAB: 20050705

NOVELTY - The process results in a uranium oxide product consisting of very fine particles of narrow size dispersion and high apparent density .The product is suitable for mixing with plutonium oxide to form a mixed oxide(MOX) fuel.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The preparation of a friable UO₂ product comprises the following stages:

(1) Preparation of an aqueous suspension of a UO₂ powder, initially obtained by a dry technique from uranium hexafluoride, the suspension comprising 50 - 80% weight of UO₂ and at least one additive from a deflocculating agent, organic binder, H₂O₂, and U₃O₈ powder, in an amount such that the viscosity of the suspension does not exceed 250 mPa.s., and (2) Atomization of the suspension and drying in a hot gas at 150 - 300degreesC., to give a UO₂ powder of particle size 20 - 100mu. An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for the use of the product to prepare pellets of MOX fuel when mixed with PuO₂.

USE - The MOX fuel obtained is used in light water reactors.

ADVANTAGE - The particles of UO₂ obtained can be directly mixed with the primary Pu-rich component .They have good physico-chemical properties including a high apparent density and good compacting ability and resistance to handling operations. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The unit (figure 1) comprises peristaltic pump; (3)

inlet for suspension; (4)

ultrasonic pulverizer; (5)

air ventilator-extractor; (9) aspirated air to atomizer; (10) heater resistances; (12)

drying column; (11)

metallic powder receptor cone; (13) swan-neck connector; (17)

air-particles cyclone separator; (15) sleeve filter for entrapment of particles greater than 1mu (receptor pot for dry granules; (20)

TECH

INORGANIC CHEMISTRY - Preferred Method: The suspension preferably includes a deflocculent, H₂O₂ an organic binder and U₃O₈ : the amount of H₂O₂ is 0.1 - 0.4% of the dry matter of the suspension and the wt. of organic binder is 0.1 - 0.5%.The amount of U₃O₈ is 10 - 20% of the wt. of UO₂. The preferred deflocculent is ammonium polymethacrylate, in an amount of 0.03 - 0.16%, and the preferred binder is polyvinyl alcohol or polyethylene glycol. A small amount of sintering additive and/or a consumable poison is also added. The atomization is effected using an ultrasonic injection nozzle, a turbine or a pressurized nozzle, and also comprises a complementary thermal treatment at 100 - 700degreesC.

ABEX EXAMPLE - A UO₂ powder was initially used from a tritubular conversion furnace, which had the characteristics :- apparent density : 1 g/cm³ ; surface area : 2.5 m²/g ; non-flowable in a 15 mm cone ; mean particles diameter : 1.5mu. with 50% fines less than 1mu. ; heat less after sintering : 0.7% ; O / U ratio : 2.04 - 2.08. A suspension was prepared in two stages.40 parts of water were placed in a glass container, then 40 parts of UO₂ powder added with stirring, and a deagglomeration-dispersion operation then effected at a high stirring velocity for 20 mins.0.09% of ammonium polymethacrylate was then added with stirring, and a Brookfield viscosity determination was carried out giving a value of 20 mPa.s. The remainder of the UO₂ (20 parts) was then added , with stirring .A second deagglomeration-dispersion operation was effected at high stirring velocity for 20 mins, and another 0.03% of ammonium polymethacrylate added.0.2% of H₂O₂ and 0.4% of polyvinyl alcohol were then added, maintaining the stirring. A viscosity measurement was taken, and if this

was not less than 250 mPa.s., a small quantity of ammonium polymethacrylate was added. Preferably the viscosity was about 100 mPa.s. The suspension was then submitted to atomization-drying using the apparatus shown in figure 1. The UO₂ suspension was injected at 330 cm³/h and formed micro-droplets of diameter 50μm, together with injection of air at 180degreesC. The temperature at the base of the drying column(11) was 130degreesC. and the UO₂ powder was recovered in the pot(9) at the exit of the cyclone separator(15) at a flow rate of 370 g/h. The properties of the powder obtained were :- apparent density : 1.8 g/cm³ ; density after consolidation : 2.0 g/cm³ ; flow velocity in a 15 mm cone : 39 g/s ; mean particle diameter : 30μm ; morphology : spherical grains, some toroidal, with some fines ; O / U : 2.13.

L105 ANSWER 8 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1993-360484 [46] WPIX Full-text
 DNC C1993-159823 [46]
 TI Prilled production of uniformly sized microspheres - by vibrating orifice liquid droplet formation and reactive gas treatment to produce spheres of given dia.
 DC J04; K05
 IN BRAUNEIS E; PIRSTADT B; THEISEN W
 PA (NUKE-C) NUKEM GMBH
 CYC 19
 PIA DE 4214272 A1 19931111 (199346)* DE 7[2] <--
 WO 9322045 A1 19931111 (199346) DE 25[3] <--
 EP 594815 A1 19940504 (199418) DE <--
 JP 07500287 W 19950112 (199511) JA 7 <--
 EP 594815 B1 19960131 (199609) DE 12[3] <--
 DE 59301551 G 19960314 (199616) DE <--
 US 5500162 A 19960319 (199617) EN 7[3] <--
 ADT DE 4214272 A1 DE 1992-4214272 19920504; DE 59301551 G DE 1993-59301551 19930504; EP 594815 A1 EP 1993-909542 19930504 ; EP 594815 B1 EP 1993-909542 19930504; DE 59301551 G EP 1993-909542 19930504; JP 07500287 W JP 1993-518930 19930504 ; WO 9322045 A1 WO 1993-EP1082 19930504; EP 594815 A1 WO 1993-EP1082 19930504; JP 07500287 W WO 1993-EP1082 19930504 ; EP 594815 B1 WO 1993-EP1082 19930504; DE 59301551 G WO 1993-EP1082 19930504; US 5500162 A WO 1993-EP1082 19930504; US 5500162 A US 1994-170309 19940513
 FDT DE 59301551 G Based on EP 594815 A; EP 594815 A1 Based on WO 9322045 A; JP 07500287 W Based on WO 9322045 A; EP 594815 B1 Based on WO 9322045 A; DE 59301551 G Based on WO 9322045 A; US 5500162 A Based on WO 9322045 A
 PRAI DE 1992-4214272 19920504
 AB DE 4214272 A1 UPAB: 20050510
 Process for production of microspheres by vibration stimulated dropping of liquid from a number of orifices in a nozzle plate, with the drops assuming a spherical shape during falling through a first pitch, and next solidifying in falling through a second pitch, before falling into a foam covered reaction liquid. The same quantity of liquid flows from each nozzle orifice in unit time; the falling droplets form a circular curtain which is circulated by reaction gas on both sides, in the second falling pitch; and the reaction gas is introduced with externally or internally of the droplet curtain; the reactor gas is aspirated either externally or internally of the droplet curtain. USE/ADVANTAGE - Production of uniformly sized microspheres of diameters up to 5mm.

L105 ANSWER 9 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1983-09882K [05] WPIX Full-text
 DNC C1983-009664 [21]

DNN N1983-018584 [21]

TI Small spherical particles especially of ammonium di:uranate - made by impinging

two vibrating jets of liquid at specified angle

DC E31; J04; K05; X14

IN HUSCHKA R; WEHNER E

PA (NUKE-C) NUKEM GMBH

CYC 1

PIA DE 3126854 A 19830127 (198305)* DE 16[1] <--

DE 3126854 C 19840927 (198440) DE [1] <--

ADT DE 3126854 A DE 1981-3126854 19810708; DE 3126854 C DE 1981-3126854 19810708

PRAI DE 1981-3126854 19810708

AB DE 3126854 A UPAB: 20050628

Spherical particles of diameter 50-2500 micron and of narrow particle spectrum are produced by directing two liquid streams towards each other. Soon after meeting the streams react to solidify, or they contain dissolved, dispersed or emulsified substances which react shortly after mixing. The streams are directed from nozzles accompanied by vibration and the mixed stream falls under gravity. Both streams are subjected to vibration of the same phase and frequency, they are supplied from separate nozzles (1,2), and the nozzles are oriented so that the streams of droplets meet at 10-120 deg., more specifically at 40-70 deg. Used for the production of ammonium diuranate. Other uses include the production of silica gel spheres. The method enables such small spheres to be produced with a narrow particle size spectrum without risk of the nozzles becoming blocked or special delay measures being required in the process.

L105 ANSWER 10 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1982-79255E [38] WPIX Full-text

TI Gel particles made from metal salt solution - which is sprayed by centrifuge into gelling bath, especially to mfr. nuclear fuel particles containing uranium and

plutonium oxide(s) (BE 06.09.82)

DC E31; J04; K05; P42; X14

IN GERONTOPOU P

PA (AGIP-C) AGIP NUCLEARE SPA

CYC 5

PIA DE 3208047 A 19820916 (198238)* DE 16 <--

BE 892387 A 19820906 (198238) FR <--

GB 2094771 A 19820922 (198238) EN <--

FR 2501061 A 19820910 (198243) FR <--

GB 2094771 B 19850605 (198523) EN <--

DE 3208047 C 19850725 (198531) DE <--

IT 1136857 B 19860903 (198808) IT <--

ADT DE 3208047 A DE 1982-3208047 19820305; IT 1136857 B IT 1981-20168 19810306; GB 2094771 A GB 1982-6219 19820303

PRAI IT 1981-20168 19810306

AB DE 3208047 A UPAB: 20050420

Gel particles of a specific size are made by slowly pouring a film of a metal salt solution (a) over the surface of a rotor to form a spray of drops falling into a liquid(b) containing ammonia or alkali, or a liquid consisting of an inert organic solvent containing a cpd. which evolves ammonia when heated. Solution(a) forms a gel in liquid(b). The pref. appts. consists of a centrifuge which forms the spray(a), and contains a rotor driven by a motor; a pump and thermostat feeding solution(a) through a ring pipe onto the rotor; and a bath(b). A gas stream prevents premature gelling of solution(a) on the rotor surface. Used, e.g. in the mfr. of gel particles used in the production of U- and/or Pu- oxides employed in fuels for fast neutron nuclear reactors.

L105 ANSWER 11 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1982-77217E [37] WPIX Full-text
 TI Sol-gel process, especially for nuclear fuel production - comprising
 atomising liquid
 in nozzles and gelling in liquid bath to avoid clogging
 nozzles
 DC K05; P42; X14
 IN FAVA G R; PANAYOTIS P R
 PA (AGIP-C) AGIP NUCLEARE SPA; (CNEN-C) CNEN COM NAZ ENERGI; (CNEN-N)
 CNEN-COM NAZ ENER NUCLEA

CYC 5

PIA	GB 2094283	A	19820915 (198237)*	EN	5	<--
	BE 892385	A	19820906 (198238)	FR		<--
	DE 3208048	A	19820916 (198238)	DE		<--
	FR 2501058	A	19820910 (198243)	FR		<--
	GB 2094283	B	19841219 (198451)	EN		<--
	IT 1136856	B	19860903 (198808)	IT		<--
	DE 3208048	C	19880721 (198829)	DE		<--

ADT GB 2094283 A GB 1982-6218 19820303; IT 1136856 B IT
 1981-20167 19810306; DE 3208048 A DE 1982-3208048 19820305

PRAI IT 1981-20167 19810306

AB GB 2094283 A UPAB: 20050420

Production of liquid particles from a solution of a metal salt capable of precipitating in ammonium hydroxide, and for converting the liquid particles into solid gel particles is described, especially for production of nuclear fuel. The method comprises ejecting the solution through nozzles shielded by a cushion of air or inert gas and receiving the liquid droplets formed in a precipitation vessel containing ammonium hydroxide with vapour removed from above the bath to reduce the concentration of ammoniacal vapours. Appts. is also claimed.

The process is suitable for various sol-gel processes, but is especially suitable for nuclear fuel production since the appts. is readily adapted for remote control.

L105 ANSWER 12 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1981-93369D [51] WPIX Full-text

TI Coated particle fuel production in fluidised bed - using feed pipe for coating gas which can be lowered to discharge finished particles

DC K05; P42; Q77

IN BARNERT E; SCHMITZ H

PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH

CYC 7

PIA	EP 41259	A	19811209 (198151)*	DE	19	<--
	DE 3021037	A	19811210 (198151)	DE		<--
	JP 57015832	A	19820127 (198209)	JA		<--
	DE 3021037	C	19820616 (198225)	DE		<--
	CA 1156036	A	19831101 (198348)	EN		<--
	EP 41259	B	19831130 (198349)	DE		<--
	US 4495215	A	19850122 (198506)	EN		<--

ADT DE 3021037 A DE 1980-3021037 19800603; DE 3021037 C DE
 1980-3021037 19800603; US 4495215 A US 1983-457054
 19830110

PRAI DE 1980-3021037 19800603

AB EP 41259 A UPAB: 20050628

A fluidised furnace is used for coating particle fuel for nuclear reactors, especially in the production of coated particle fuel for high temperature reactors.

Application of the coating is carried out in a reaction tube (2), having an orifice plate (3) at its lower end; this is immediately adjoined by an outer pipe (4) and an inner pipe (6), the carrier gas (20) for maintaining the fluidised bed flowing up in the annular space between these pipes, while the coating gas flows up inside the inner pipe (6). The carrier gas passes through a porous plate (10) to equalise its flow rate, and it passes up the annular space.

The inner pipe (6) can be lowered sufficiently far to leave a central opening in this porous plate; this then enables the finished, coated particles to be discharged by falling down from the reaction tube (2), through the orifice plate (6), through the opening in the porous plate (10) and so into the annular space (11) between outer and inner pipes. Here the coated particles reach a collector unit (14) which direct their flow, especially down a slope (15) into a discharge pipe (16). Pref. the inner pipe (6) can be lowered so that its upper end is at a certain distance below the opening in the porous plate (10). Used for the coating of particles of fuel for a high temperature reactor by means of a coating gas, such as methane, acetylene, propane, propylene or others, in a fluidised bed using also a carrier gas, such as argon, helium, hydrogen, nitrogen or carbon monoxide to operate the bed and dilute the coating gas. The finished particles are discharged by gravity without the need to lower a suction lance or other complicated device into the reaction tube.

L105 ANSWER 13 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1981-12033D [08] WPIX Full-text

TI Gas feed nozzle - with specified parameters for maximum coating throughput

DC K05; P42

IN BARNERT E

PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH

CYC 6

PIA DE 2937652 B 19810212 (198108)* DE <--

EP 25574 A 19810325 (198114) DE <--

EP 25574 B 19830323 (198313) DE <--

US 4407230 A 19831004 (198342) EN <--

ADT DE 2937652 B DE 1976-611844 19800321; DE 2937652 B DE 1979-2937652 19790918

PRAI DE 1976-611844 19800321

DE 1979-2937652 19790918

AB DE 2937652 B UPAB: 20050419

The Parent Patent No.2611844 described a nozzle for the supply of thermally decomposable gases for the coating of fuel and breeder cores for nuclear reactors, and of the carrier gases. The diameter of the nozzle bottleneck should be 3-10 mm, and that of the central channel should be larger by up to 3 1/2 times. The distance between the bottleneck and the channel should be 20-70mm. The wall of the annular channel terminates in a bottleneck with a diameter dE which forms the base of the fluidised bed. The mouth of the central tube which forms the inner channel lies at a distance h from the bottleneck and is thus away from the temperature needed for the decomposition of the coating gas. A plate of porous graphite or sinter metal supports the inner tube.

Such a nozzle can coat the greatest number of particles in one operation without losing out in the prevention of deposits. (DS).

L105 ANSWER 14 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1980-30137C [17] WPIX Full-text

TI Device for forming viscous liquid droplets - e.g. from molten uranium and thorium oxide(s) for providing spherical granular fuel coated with carbon

DC J04; K05; L02
 IN GOTO M; SAKAI Y; SUZUKI S
 PA (GNSH-C) GENSHI NENRYO KOGYO KK
 CYC 1
 PIA JP 55035945 A 19800313 (198017)* JA <--
 ADT JP 55035945 A JP 1978-109668 19780908
 PRAI JP 1978-109668 19780908
 AB JP 55035945 A UPAB: 20050418
 Device for forming drops of a viscous liquid such as heavy metal cpd., including uranium and thorium oxides, for producing a fuel of very-fine spherical grains covered with carbon, comprises nozzles extending down from a tank, which contains a molten raw material. A water head pipe is erected on the tank connected to a tube pump for feeding the raw liquid. An overflow unit or pressure regulator valve is connected to the top end of the water-head pipe to apply a constant pressure to each nozzle of the tank. The device provides uniform grain size and avoids deformation of spherical droplets.

L105 ANSWER 15 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1978-61974A [35] WPIX Full-text
 TI Ceramic nuclear fuel microspheres production - from droplets of uranium, plutonium or thorium nitrate passed through gaseous and liquid ammonia
 DC K05
 IN NAEFE P
 PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH
 CYC 5
 PIA DE 2714873 B 19780824 (197835)* DE <--
 JP 53123795 A 19781028 (197848) JA <--
 FR 2386104 A 19781201 (197902) FR <--
 US 4209492 A 19800624 (198028) EN <--
 GB 1596588 A 19810826 (198135) EN <--
 JP 61010795 B 19860331 (198617) JA <--
 ADT DE 2714873 B DE 1977-2714873 19770402
 PRAI DE 1977-2714873 19770402
 AB DE 2714873 B UPAB: 20050417
 Appts. for producing spherical particles from droplets of aqueous solns. of nuclear fuel or breeder material nitrates is used for the production of ceramic nuclear fuel microspheres. A vessel contains an aqueous ammonia phase, with a gaseous ammonia blanket above it. The vessel has a closed top and an opening at the side near the top and opposite to a nozzle which propels the droplets horizontally into the gaseous. The droplets thus enter horizontally and are deflected by gravity so that they descend through the gaseous phase and fall through the liquid phase. The open side of the vessel may be located opposite a row of nozzles. Used for the production of ceramic microspheres from nitrates of U, Pu, and/or Th for nuclear fuel and breeder elements. The nozzle assembly can be advanced towards or retracted away from the vessel in a purely horizontal direction, which simplifies operations.

L105 ANSWER 16 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1978-29058A [16] WPIX Full-text
 TI Coating nuclear fuel with carbon or metal carbide - using high temperature fluidised bed of fuel particles fed with reaction gas
 DC K05; L02; M13
 IN BROWN L C; LANGLEY J R; NOREN R C; SPRITZER M H
 PA (GEAT-C) GEN ATOMIC CO
 CYC 5
 PIA DE 2744611 A 19780413 (197816)* DE <--
 US 4080927 A 19780328 (197820) EN <--

JP 53045676 A 19780424 (197823) JA <--
FR 2366870 A 19780609 (197827) FR <--
US 4098224 A 19780704 (197836) EN <--
US 4116160 A 19780926 (197840) EN <--
GB 1581283 A 19801209 (198050) EN <--
JP 61011661 B 19860404 (198618) JA <--

PRAI US 1976-749876 19761213
US 1976-730000 19761006
US 1976-730235 19761006
US 1976-735186 19761026

AB DE 2744611 A UPAB: 20050417
Particles are coated by a substance contained in a reactive gas(a), where a bed of the particles is formed in a coating chamber; in the middle of the base of the chamber is a nozzle protecting upwards and from which gas (a) flows radially outwards; and a stream of fluidising gas(b) is fed into the chamber below gas(a) to form a fluidised bed in which the particles are coated. Gas(b) pref. travels radially outwards parallel to the chamber base, so the particles spread radially outwards in the lower part of the chamber and travel up the side walls, then moving radially inwards and downwards on the chamber axis. Another stream (c) of reactive or inert gas may be used, which converges towards gas(a) in the chamber. The pref. plants include a reactor containing a conical coating chamber which tapers downwards to an axial hole closed by a stopper. A nozzle projects upwards from the middle of the stopper and contains one or more channels feeding gas(a) or gases(a,c) into the fluidised bed. Coating nuclear fuels e.g. U, Pu, Th, or their cpds, with size 0.5 mm, with a layer of pyrolytic carbon or metal carbide, using a gas(a) containing C₂H₂, C₃H₆, C₃H₈ or CH₄.

L105 ANSWER 17 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
AN 1977-81450Y [46] WPIX Full-text
TI Uniform liquid coated microdroplets production - by continuous disturbance especially vibration of two-liquid stream emerging from nozzle
DC A97; D16; J04; K05
IN FULWYLER M J; HATCHER C W
PA (COUE-C) COULTER ELECTRONICS INC
CYC 6
PIA DE 2717097 A 19771110 (197746)* DE <--
SE 7704551 A 19771114 (197748) SV <--
JP 52129686 A 19771031 (197750) JA <--
FR 2348739 A 19771223 (197806) FR <--
GB 1549464 A 19790801 (197931) EN <--
US 4162282 A 19790724 (197932) EN <--
US 4302166 A 19811124 (198150) EN <--

PRAI US 1979-20818 19790315
US 1976-679241 19760422

AB DE 2717097 A UPAB: 20060102
A method of making uniform particles consisting of a core liquid and an encasing liquid, accompanied by the introduction of solid particles to form a dispersion in 1 of the two liquids, is carried out with injection of the core liquid into the moving encasing liquid, and subsequent production of liquid jet from the two liquids. This liquid jet is periodically interrupted in such a way that uniform droplets are produced, containing equal quantities of core liquid, encasing liquid and introduced material.
The third material may be introduced as a dispersion into either the core liquid, or the encasing liquid or into both. Pref. the liquid jet is periodically transversely disturbed at a constant and uniform frequency.
Used for any kind of coated or encased production, e.g. for uniform plastic particles with controlled spatial and optical properties for testing and calibrating instruments. For biological cell analysis. For the production of

coated particles uranium oxide or plutonium oxide fuel. The method enables an increased number of very small particles to be produced in a given time.

L105 ANSWER 18 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1977-70896Y [40] WPIX Full-text
 TI Nozzle for fluidised bed coating of nuclear fuel particles -
 has neck downstream of central duct outlet to prevent precipitation
 DC K05; P42; Q77
 IN BARNERT E
 PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH
 CYC 5
 PIA DE 2611844 A 19770929 (197740)* DE <--
 FR 2344932 A 19771118 (197802) FR <--
 DE 2611844 B 19780112 (197803) DE <--
 US 4153004 A 19790508 (197921) EN <--
 GB 1555732 A 19791114 (197946) EN <--
 JP 60029307 B 19850710 (198531) JA <--
 JP 52114895 A 19770927 (198532) JA <--
 ADT DE 2611844 A DE 1976-2611844 19760320; DE 2611844 A DE
 1979-2937652 19790918
 PRAI DE 1979-2937652 19790918
 DE 1976-2611844 19760320
 AB DE 2611844 A UPAB: 20050417
 A nozzle for supplying thermally decomposable gases and carrier gases in the
 production of coated particle fuel comprises a central duct for the
 decomposable gases and a coaxial annular duct for the carrier gases. The outer
 wall of the annular duct leads into a constriction and both the annular duct
 and the central duct terminate before this constriction.
 Used for the production of fissile or fertile particles coated with pyrolytic
 carbon. The temperature of the decomposable gases at outlet from the central
 duct is below the decomposition temperature and during the further flow
 towards the constriction these gases are surrounded by the carrier gases. Both
 these features prevent ppn. on the duct walls and consequent obstruction of
 the nozzle.

L105 ANSWER 19 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1977-54230Y [31] WPIX Full-text
 TI Spherical particles of uranium, thorium and/or plutonium salts - partic.
 oxides or carbides, prepared by precipitation from solns. containing
 hydrocarbon derivs.
 DC E33; K05; L02
 IN HACKSTEIN K G; KADNER M; SPENER G
 PA (HOCT-C) HOCHTEMPERATUR REAKTORBAU GMBH
 CYC 9
 PIA DE 2601684 A 19770728 (197731)* DE <--
 SE 7700444 A 19770815 (197735) SV <--
 JP 52101396 A 19770825 (197740) JA <--
 BR 7700263 A 19771018 (197745) PT <--
 FR 2352374 A 19780120 (197810) FR <--
 DE 2601684 B 19780427 (197818) DE <--
 US 4119563 A 19781010 (197842) EN <--
 GB 1548048 A 19790704 (197927) EN <--
 CA 1080462 A 19800701 (198029) EN <--
 IT 1069110 B 19850325 (198531) IT <--
 JP 60057555 B 19851216 (198603) JA <--
 ADT DE 2601684 A DE 1976-2601684 19760117
 PRAI DE 1976-2601684 19760117
 AB DE 2601684 A UPAB: 20050417

Preparation of spherical oxide or carbide fuel or breeder particles for nuclear (partic. high temperature) reactors. Aqueous solns. of uranium, thorium or plutonium salts which, for carbide preparation also contain finely dispersed hydrocarbons are poured from a vibrating nozzle through an atmos. containing NH₃ gas into an ammoniacal precipitation bath. The precipitated prod. is washed, dried and sintered.

H₂O-soluble or -miscible monomeric hydrocarbons with functional gps. are added to the solution of the above salts. The functional gps. can be aldehyde-, keto-, ether-, amino-, imino-, phenol-, acid- or acid amide. They can be present singly or in admixt. The hydrocarbon derivs. form stable adducts in aqueous alkaline solution with the above salts and impart to the solution a viscosity not exceeding 15 cP at 20 degrees C.

For preparation of nuclear fuel particles which are exactly spherical and are coated with a layer of pyrolytic hydrocarbon and silicon carbide which serves to retain breakdown prods. during operation of the reactor solns. are of low enough viscosity to ensure high output rates and to avoid excessive waste production

L105 ANSWER 20 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1976-54317X [29] WPIX Full-text

TI Nuclear fuel spherical particles of accurate shape - produced by hardening droplets in ammonia gas before immersion

DC E31; K05

IN HUSCHKA H; KADNER M

PA (HOCT-C) HOBEG HOCHTEMPERATURREAKTOR

CYC 6

PIA	DE 2459445	A	19760708 (197629)*	DE	<--
	JP 51085097	A	19760726 (197637)	JA	<--
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	FR 2295534	A	19760820 (197644)	FR	<--
	US 4060497	A	19771129 (197749)	EN	<--
	GB 1525950	A	19780927 (197839)	EN	<--
	IT 1051330	B	19810421 (198135)	IT	<--
	JP 61024675	B	19860612 (198628)	JA	<--

ADT DE 2459445 A DE 1974-2459445 19741216

PRAI DE 1974-2459445 19741216

AB DE 2459445 A UPAB: 20050415

A method of making uniform spherical particles of fissile or fertile (nuclear fuel) material consists of ejecting an oscillating stream of uranium or thorium solution from ≥1 nozzles at a rate exceeding 3000 droplets per minute and allowing the droplets to fall into an ammonia solution then drying and sintering them. The droplets before they reach the ammonia solution first fall through a space containing no ammonia gas and of sufficient depth for the droplets to become spherical, then fall through a space through which ammonia gas flows in an upward and also transverse di-reaction, this space is of sufficient depth for the droplets to harden and retain their shape when they enter the ammonia solution Pref. for droplet sizes of 0.2-2.5mm, the upward ammonia gas flow rate is 0.05-2 cm/min. per cm² of newly formed droplet surface per minute per nozzle. Method is useful for the production of particles to be used for coated-particle type nuclear fuel. Highly accurate spherical shape is obt'd. by the stabilisation of the particles in the ammonia gas flow, although the dwell time is only about 0.5 sec. This accurate shape is necessary for the subsequent prodn. of a strong gas-tight coating on the particle.

L105 ANSWER 21 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1976-46364X [25] WPIX Full-text

TI Mixed oxide nuclear fuel particles - made by sol-gel process with outer

layer contg mainly uranium dioxide

DC K05
 IN HANNERZ K
 PA (ALLM-C) ASEA ATOM AB
 CYC 3
 PIA DE 2550679 A 19760610 (197625)* DE <--
 SE 7415226 A 19760705 (197630) SV <--
 US 4048090 A 19770913 (197738) EN <--
 PRAI SE 1974-15226 19741205
 AB DE 2550679 A UPAB: 20050415
 an oxide nuclear fuel comprises spherical or almost spherical particles of mixed UO₂-PuO₂ of dia. 0.2-2 mm, in which the surface of each particle consists of UO₂ containing is not >15% of the ave. PuO₂ content per unit volume of the whole particle. It is made by the sol-gel process by passing emulsions of UO₂ and PuO₂ through concentric nozzles, into a strongly water-absorbing solution, UO₂ being applied finally, and then drying the layered droplet thus formed. Because the PuO₂ is largely encapsulated, the particles present fewer health hazards during drying, sintering and filling into fuel cans.

L105 ANSWER 22 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1975-57294W [35] WPIX Full-text
 TI Oxide or carbide particles mfr. - esp of uranium, plutonium or thorium for nuclear fuel or fertile materials
 DC E31; E33; K05; P42
 IN LANGEN H; NAEFE P
 PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH
 CYC 4
 PIA DE 2363827 A 19750821 (197535)* DE <--
 FR 2255098 A 19750822 (197541) FR <--
 US 4035450 A 19770712 (197729) EN <--
 GB 1487387 A 19770928 (197739) EN <--
 DE 2363827 B 19800410 (198016) DE <--
 ADT DE 2363827 A DE 1971-147472 19730327; DE 2363827 A DE 1973-2363827 19731221
 PRAI DE 1973-2363827 19731221
 DE 1971-147472 19730327
 AB DE 2363827 A UPAB: 20050415
 Spheroidal oxide or carbide particles of metal, especially U, Pu, Th, for fuels or fertile materials in nuclear reactors, where an aqueous solution of the metal nitrate or chloride, which also contains colloidal carbon, is dropped through an organic ketone phase into an aqueous NH₃ solution and the oxide particle obtd. containing C, are sintered. The particles are mfd. using a reactor containing the aqueous NH₃ covered by the organic phase and an injector tube which projects into the organic phase for adding the drops of the metal solution The mouth of the injector tube is improved by being 0.5-2mm. from the bottom end of the annular channel in the injector, the channel being designed so there is a uniform distribution of the organic phase round the metal solution The resulting oxide or carbide particles have a uniform particle size and the amount of ketone (mixture) used is relatively small.

L105 ANSWER 23 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1975-47808W [29] WPIX Full-text
 TI Spherical nuclear fuel or breeder particle prodn - by drip method using intermittently actuated nozzle for uniformity
 DC K05; S02
 IN CRAMER J; HANNEN W
 PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH

CYC 4
 PIA DE 2411745 B 19750710 (197529)* DE <--
 FR 2264366 A 19751114 (197601) FR <--
 US 4006848 A 19770208 (197707) EN <--
 GB 1494688 A 19771214 (197750) EN <--
 ADT DE 2411745 B DE 1969-960289 19741120; DE 2411745 B DE
 1974-2411745 19740312
 PRAI DE 1969-960289 19741120
 DE 1974-2411745 19740312
 AB DE 2411745 B UPAB: 20050415
 Production of spherical fuel or breeder particles of UO₂, of several 100/μ in
 which spherical drops of a U-containing solution of uranyl nitrate, urea and
 hexamethylenetetramine (>500g U/l), fall into a hot (≤100 degrees C) water
 insol. liquid, the resultant particles are removed after a short time and
 washed with volatile solvent and ammonia solution, then air-dried and sintered
 at 1200-1400 degrees C in a reducing atmos., in which in the Patent of
 Addition, the nozzle for feeding the droplets is supplied from a duct which
 can be periodically cut-off by an axially moving piston, possessing in
 addition a conical head which cuts off the nozzle. The cone angle is pref. 15-
 20 degrees. The piston can pref. be operated between variable limit positions
 by a variable-speed crank drive. The droplets are dispensed at a uniform size,
 giving improved uniformity in the resultant particles.

L105 ANSWER 24 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1975-17447W [11] WPIX Full-text
 TI Pyrolytic coating of nuclear fuel matl. - by introducing coating gas,
 pref. hydrocarbon, in counter current to carrier gas to fluidised bed
 DC E36; K05; L02; P42
 IN HUSCHKA H; WARZAWA W
 PA (HOCT-C) HOBEG GMBH
 CYC 5

PIA BE 819215 A 19750226 (197511)* FR <--
 DE 2343123 A 19750327 (197514) DE <--
 FR 2242749 A 19750502 (197523) FR <--
 DE 2343123 B 19760923 (197640) DE <--
 GB 1477692 A 19770622 (197725) EN <--
 US 4056641 A 19771101 (197745) EN <--
 US 4128075 A 19781205 (197850) EN <--
 PRAI DE 1973-2343123 19730827
 AB BE 819215 A UPAB: 20050415
 Coating of fissile or fertile nuclear fuel matl. present in a fluidised bed
 for subsequent use as fuel elements at high temperature comprises heating
 particles maintained in turbulent motion in known manner by the carrier gas
 pre-heated to the desired coating temperature but with the improvement whereby
 the coating gas e.g. a hydrocarbon where the coating is to consist of
 pyrolytic carbon, is injected into the bed of fluidised particles from above
 in countercurrent to, and at a speed above that, of the fluidising carrier
 gas, by means of nozzles terminating above the fluidised bed. Gives more
 uniform coatings on the fissile and/or fertile nuclei, free from uncoated
 regions or cracks and eliminates or reduces carbon or silicon carbide
 deposits, on the nozzles and reactor walls.

L105 ANSWER 25 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1974-85620V [50] WPIX Full-text
 TI Spherical nuclear fuel element particles - by vibrating nozzles
 spraying uranium-thorium solns. in PVA into ammonia atmosphere
 DC K05; S02
 PA (HOCT-C) HOBEG HOCHTEMPERATURREAKTOR

CYC 5

PIA	BE 815466	A	19741122 (197450)*	FR	<--
	FR 2230409	A	19750124 (197511)	FR	<--
	JP 50020198	A	19750303 (197518)	JA	<--
	GB 1467281	A	19770316 (197711)	EN	<--
	GB 1467282	A	19770316 (197711)	EN	<--
	IT 1051604	B	19810520 (198141)	IT	<--

PRAI DE 1973-2326664 19730525

AB BE 815466 A UPAB: 20050414

A linked control of supply frequency to a bank of electromagnets (which cause a group of small dia. nozzles to vibrate in a plane orthogonal to the flow of the jet through the nozzles) and the flow rate of the liquid through the nozzles, with droplet size of a stroboscopic count of droplets as the controlling parameter, produces uniform sized droplets with high output/efficiency. The solution is Th or U salts in polyvinyl alcohol which solidifies whilst falling through a (countercurrent) of NH3 gas. The solidification is completed in a bath of NH4OH, after which the particles are washed. and dried. They can then be made into fuel pebbles for a 'pebble' type reactor by coating with graphite.

L105 ANSWER 26 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1974-67842V [39] WPIX Full-text

TI Fluid bed for coating nuclear fuel - gases are mixed in nozzle immediately prior to injection

DC K05; P78

PA (COMX-C) EURATOM

CYC 6

PIA	BE 814504	A	19740902 (197439)*	FR	<--
	NL 7406189	A	19741112 (197448)	NL	<--
	DE 2420495	A	19741128 (197449)	DE	<--
	DK 7402320	A	19741216 (197502)	DA	<--
	FR 2229120	A	19750110 (197509)	FR	<--
	GB 1439861	A	19760616 (197625)	EN	<--

PRAI GB 1973-21796 19730508

AB BE 814504 A UPAB: 20050414

A fluid bed appts. is used for coating nuclear fuel; e.g. UO2 may be coated with pyrolytic carbon or silicon carbide. The appts. has a chamber and a nozzle for injecting gas into the chamber. A mixture of gases comprising a gas for forming the coating and a vehicle gas is injected and led separately towards the chamber. The nozzle is such that mixing of the gases takes place immediately before injection into the chamber. The vehicular gas is pre-heated by passing through a conduit in the nozzle prior to mixing. This conduit is annular and extends round a second central conduit through which flows the coating gas. The two conduits terminate at the same point. The operating temperature of the chamber is between 1300 and 1600 degrees C.

L105 ANSWER 27 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN

AN 1973-29650U [21] WPIX Full-text

TI Spherical droplet generator - with gas stream around feedstock jet to enhance varicose instabilities in jet

DC H04; J04; K05

PA (GULO-C) GULF OIL CORP

CYC 8

PIA	US 3731850	A	(197321)*	EN	<--
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	FR 2174532	A	(197351)	FR	
	GB 1373744	A	19741113 (197446)	EN	<--
	CH 562052	A	19750530 (197525)	DE	<--

AT 7300167 A 19750615 (197527) DE <--
 CA 1005960 A 19770301 (197711) EN <--
 JP 48079773 A 19731025 (198235) JA <--
 JP 57037375 B 19820809 (198235) JA <--
 ADT US 3731850 A US 1972-217853 19720114; US 3731850
 A US 1973-358410 19730508
 PRAI US 1973-358410 19730508
 US 1972-217853 19720114
 AB US 3731850 A UPAB: 20050414
 A droplet generator establishes varicose instabilities at regular intervals in
 a jet of liquid feedstock, the jet being surrounded by a concurrent, coaxial
 gas stream which enhances the instabilities to cause the jet to disperse into
 uniform spherical droplets. The instabilities may be produced by a pulsating
 diaphragm in the feed chamber, and pref. have a wavelength of 4.5 times the
 unperturbed diameter of the jet. Uses include production of microspheres of
 nuclear fuel and refinery catalyst.

L105 ANSWER 28 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1972-14497T [09] WPIX Full-text
 TI Fluidisation/treatment process - esp for coating of nuclear fuel
 particles
 DC J04; K05; P42; P63
 PA (COMX-C) EURATOM
 CYC 6
 PIA BE 771563 A (197209)* FR
 DE 2140663 A (197211) DE
 NL 7111116 A (197211) NL
 FR 2105977 A (197230) FR
 CH 531153 A (197307) DE
 GB 1362656 A 19740807 (197432) EN <--
 PRAI GB 1970-40701 19700824
 AB BE 771563 A UPAB: 20050413
 Particles are treated in bed to which fluidising gas and treatment gas are fed
 with vertical and rotational components of motion, so that fluidisation with
 rotational circulating flow occurs. Unit pref. consists of bed with an array
 of inlets in base, having conical mouths with axes parallel to that of vessel,
 fed with gas through nozzles inclined to their axes. Process is especially
 used for coating of Pu, U or Th oxides to prevent loss of fission products.

L105 ANSWER 29 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1970-31676R [18] WPIX Full-text
 TI Supply nozzles for gas for coating cores of fuels or - fertile
 materials in fluidized beds
 DC K05; L02; P42
 PA (KERJ-C) KERNFORSCHUNGSANLAGE JUELICH
 CYC 4
 PIA BE 741023 A (197018)* FR
 DE 1808550 A (197023) DE
 FR 2027539 A (197101) FR
 GB 1281412 A (197228) EN
 DE 1808550 B 19740620 (197426) DE <--
 PRAI DE 1968-1808550 19681113
 AB BE 741023 A UPAB: 20050628
 Material used is graphite.
 Specifically nozzle is coated with pyrolytic carbon, pref. silicon carbide,
 zirconium carbide and/or niobium carbide.

L105 ANSWER 30 OF 30 WPIX COPYRIGHT 2009 THOMSON REUTERS on STN
 AN 1969-66832Z [00] WPIX Full-text
 DC K05
 PA (COMX-C) COMX
 CYC 2
 PIA BE 668810 A (196800)* FR
 DE 1489848 B 19731004 (197341) DE <--
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 E NUCL FUEL/CO
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 L27 7 S L26 AND 2/NC
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 E E9+ALL
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 E E2+ALL
 L74 43906 S E3+OLD,NT
 E E22
 E E3+ALL
 L75 38643 S E3+OLD
 L76 304 S L41 AND L73-L75
 L77 9 S L76 AND L29,L32
 L78 30 S L76 AND L28,L57
 L79 21 S L76 AND L22
 L80 8 S L78 AND L79
 L81 13 S L77,L80
 L82 1 S L81 NOT L68
 L83 289 S L76 NOT L68,L81,L82
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 L86 19 S L85 AND NOZZL?/TI
 L87 25 S L85 AND NOZZL?/CW,CT
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 L93 374963 S L90-L92
 L94 1994 S L93 AND (B01J002 OR B01J0002)/IPC, IC, ICM, ICS, EPC
 L95 5 S L94 AND (B01J004-02 OR B01J0004-02)/IPC, IC, ICM, ICS, EPC
 L96 26 S L94 AND G21C/IPC, IC, ICM, ICS, EPC
 L97 22 S L96 AND K05-B04?/MC
 L98 6 S L96 AND X14-B04?/MC
 L99 26 S L96-L98
 L100 16 S L99 AND US/PC, PRC, AC
 L101 10 S L99 NOT L100
 L102 3 S L93 AND R07293/DCN AND (R01534/DCN OR 1534/DRN)
 L103 5 S L93 AND R15819/DCN
 L104 31 S L99-L103
 L105 30 S L104 AND (PD<=20060414 OR PRD<=20060414 OR AD<=20060414)

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